On Board of an Ocean Liner or in a

First-Cimes Railway

nutte misiaken. The risk of injury is

nized that accident insurance

railways or tram cars. Certain com-

panies will insure commercial trav-

elers at premiums appreciably lower than those charged by general acci-

dent insurance companies.

A man may undertake a journey

around the world with a comparative-

ly light heart. But extreme care and

vizilance are needed should be ven-

ture to bang his pictures or walk down his own stairs. The perils of

the streets in London and our big

cities are, of course, so well known

that there is no need to comment

thereon. Most people imagine that

they must be fairly safe in bed. Yet accidents happen even there. Not long ago a wealthy man was seriously injured by being burned by a hotwater bottle after he had retired to

engage in any occupation or sport, he

cident and should take his precau-

Averaged Three Cords of Wood Dally

Twenty Days When Eighty-seven.

Eliphalet Smith of Biddeford, Me.

in his nintleth year, recently chal-

lenged any man in Maine to meet him

in a wood-sawing contest. He has

sawed 31/2 cords of white oak, three

cuts to a stick, in a day of ten hours,

says the Lewiston Journal. He has

wood in a day. He was employed by

the Pépperell corporation for a fort-

night, during which time he sawed

four cords of wood a day, working from 8 a. m. to 4. p. He was substi-

tuting for two regular men and fur-nished enough fuel to keep two fur-

naces going. He has started from his

to the pool, a distance of nine miles, sawed three cords of wood and footed

it back home again, arriving there be-

Rock, thence to Biddeford pool, then to Hills Beach and back home, a dis-

this is his regular Sunday morning

exercise. He says that it is nothing

A Burled Villa.

Another discovery of great interest

was made not long ago in Pompeil.

where the excavation work is being steadily carried on. Under the ash

denosits there was found an extensive

villa of a handsome construction and

The villa contains statues and other

works of sculpture both Greek and

Roman, besides very rich furniture

which is well ornamented and also

with gold and silver money. In the

basement are great amphorae which

were used for storage purposes and in the triclinium the tables were pre-

Some of the silver pieces seem to

have been taken out at a previous

epoch, for there are traces of clandes-

tine search which was made at a

A \$50 Funeral Sermon

ord was that preached at the funeral

Stuart restoration period in England. She bequeathed \$50 to fee a clargy-man to preach her funeral sermon.

stipulating that he was to mention her name and to speak nothing but

of Mme. Cresswell, a woman of

One of the shortest sermons on rec-

pared for a banquet of 30 persons

many vases of different kinds.

ornamented with very fine frescoes

but a pleasure jaunt.

tions accordingly.

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always exposed to the risk of ac-

WOODCHOPPER

Car.

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SUPERVISORS

Orawford County Director

Office over "Lewis" Drug Store,

Al Operations Paintess All Work Guaranteed.

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Office Hours-9 to 11 a. m. 2 to 4 p. m. Residence on Peninsular Avenue, opposite G. A. R. Hall.

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Interest paid on certificates of deposit. Collec-tions promptly attended to All accommoda-tions extended that are consistent with safe and conservative hanking.

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C. A. Canfield, D.D.S.

DENTIST OFFICE:

AND NOTARY Prosecuting Attorney for CrawfordCo

Fire Alarm Calls.

Directions for turning in Alarm. Break glass and turn the lever once around until it stops; you can only turn it one way. Do not turn in a turn it one way. Do not turn in a second time, until lever has stopped

Where Located.

No. of
Box Where Located.

19—Michigan and Peninsular Avenues, near Olson's drug store.

28—Michigan Avenue and Spruce east of Court House.

32—Michigan Avenue and Norway St. M. C. R. R. Depot.

37—Ottowa Street, at Hose House.

43—Ogemaw and Cedar streets, near McKay House.

46—Spruce and Ionia streets, near Julius Nelson's house.

54—Michigan Ave. and Park street near Chris Hanson's house.

55—Ogemaw and Maple streets near

55—Ogemaw and Maple streets near John Hanson's house. 64—Salling Hanson Co., Planing

mill —Salling, Hanson Co., Band mill. 82—Kerry, Hanson, Flooring mill. 91—Railroad Reserve, south side on Electric light pole.

The whistle will blow off the num ber after the general alarm has been

USED RUSE TO SECURE MONKEY Animal was Unacquainted with Qual

ities of Opera Glass A professor well known in the sci-

entific world recently hit upon a novel method of capturing a pet monkey which had escaped from the house and taken refuge in the branches of a tall

He looked at the animal through a pair of opera giasses, pointing the small end at him, and then retired to short distance, leaving the glasses on the ground. The imitative monkey descended from the tree, and, taking the opers glasses, gased in a similar manner at his master who

seemed to the deluded ape to be many ranks distant.

NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in the land herein describ-ed, and to the mortgagee or mortgagees named in all undischarged recorded mortgages against said land or any

fully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has thie thereto inder tax deed insued therefore, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, up onpayment to the undersigned or to the Register in chancery of the county in which the land lies, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per centadditional thereto, and the fees of the sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon per-sonal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each descrip-tion, without other additional cost or charges. It payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will insti-

State of Michigan, County of Craw ford.

12 25N 1W \$1.87 1905 1.41 Amount necessary to redeem, \$10.15

plus the the fees of the sheriff.

IIUBBARD HEAD.

Place of business, Roscommon.

Sheriff of Crawford County.
Grayling, Mich., July 20, 1909.
I hereby Certify and return that after careful enquiry, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Isaac Rorer or the heirs, or the whereabouts of postoffice address of the executor or administrator or trustee or guardian of said Isaac Roer.

NOTICE.

BUILDING SOCIETIES GROW

Big increase in Their Membership and Assets for Year is Reported.

According to a report read at the annual convention of the United States League of Building and Loan Associations, held in Philadelphia recently, there are 5,599 local building and loan associations in the United States, with a total membership of 1,920,557 and assets of \$734,175,753, Bradstreet's says. This is an increase in membership over last year of 81,738, and an increase in assets of \$129,772, The total receipts were \$159,777. The total receipts w ditional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made the

14 25N 1W \$14.77 1901

Mich.
Dated June 19, A. D. 1909.
To Annie A. Jacobson, Chicago, Ill.,
Grantee under the last recorded deed,

regular chain of tittle, to said land.

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the village of Grayling in said county, on the twen-ty-eighth day of September A. D. 1909. Present: Hon. Wellington Batterson,

patent person, and praying that lames J. Collen of the village of Grayling or some other suitable per-son be appointed as guardian of his

October A. D. 1989, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing uid petition. It is further ordered, that notice

thereof be given by personal survice of a copy of this order upon said John Bellor and upon such of his nearest relatives and presumptive heirs-at-law as reside within said county, at least twenty-four days previous to said day

of hearing.

And it is further ordered, that notice thereof be given to all others of his memeria relatives and presumptive heirs-at-law by a publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. in the CRAWFORD AVALANCES & news

paper printed and circulated in said Dr. F. E. Bush Every Month 16th to 20t 1 inclusive

DENTIST

S. N. Insley, M.D.

All world's records in attendance have been broken by Riverview Ex-position, Chicago's latest and great-est show.

WELLINGTON BATTERSON,

RIVERVIEW EXPOSITION

WELLINGTON BATTERSON, sept30-3w Judge of Propate.

A true Copy.

Judge of Probate

est show.

Although the turning point of one-half the season has not yet arrived more than 5,000,000 persons have passed through the turnstiles. Before the season ends it is estimated 10,000,000 will have revelled in the mystery, splendor and delights of this magnificent exhibition. Allowing the big city on the lake one-half of the past attendance there remain 2,500,000 out-of-town visitors—more than ever visited any other world's fair in any country.

fair in any country.

To the owner or owners of any and all interested by the land herein described and to the non-larger principle of Nations," recently coloragees named to an owner of the larger principle of the larger principle.



Grantee under the last recorded deed, in regular chain of tittle, to said land. Office of
Sheriff of Crawford County.
Grayling, Mich., August 16, 1999.
I hereby certify and return that after careful enquiry, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or postoffice address of Annic A. Jacobs or the heirs, or the whereabouts or postoffice address of the executor, administrator or trustee or guardlan of said Aunic A. Jacobs.
CHARLES W. AMIDON
Sheriff of Crawtord County.
Fees \$1.10

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the

HARVEST THE YEAR SOUND.

Fruits of the Earth are Being Gar nered Continually.

garnering of the harvest," said a clergyman, "and a fine poetic festival it is. But did it ever occur to you how various are the harvest times of the different nations of the world? "January is the harvest month of the Chileans, of the Australians, the

"February is the harvest of India February and a part of March. 'The Exyptians, the Persians and

Syrians harvest in April, while the Chinese, the Japanese, the Mor-

Saginaw, - Michigan Saginaw office 308 Avery Building.

Village Officers. President John F. Hum Clerk S. S. Phelps Assessor Fred Narris Treasurer K. Regan Trustees K. W. Brink, Haus Peter-son, C. T. Jerome, S. N. Insley, Chus, McCullough, W. Love.

McCullough, W. Love,
COMMITTEES.
Finance, Claims and Accounts—Brink
Peterson and McCullough.
Streets, Sidewalks Bridges and Sewers—Peterson, Insley and Love.
Water Works, Lighting, and Fire Apparatus—Insley, Jerome, Brink.
Printing and License—McCullough,
Love and Jerome,

Love and Jecome.

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Health and Public Safety—Jerome,

McCullough and Insley.

Ordinances—Peterson, Brink, Insley.

Industrial—Love, Peterson, Insley.

Society Meetings. Methodist Folscopal Church.

Paster Rev. Rob. Housto: Prancling, to 38 a.m. and 7.00 p. m. panuall schools: 45 a.m. Repworth League, 6.00 p. m. Bible atndy Monday 7:10 p. m. Frayer Meeting, Thursday, 7.00 p.m. All confluily layled to attend. Presbyterian Church.

Regular church services at 10,30 a. m. and 7 tos p. m. Sunday School munediately after morning service, Y.P.S. C. L. at 6.00 p. m. Prayer meeting Toursday evening at 7.00 o'clock. Hev J. Humphrey Fleering, Pastor.

Methodist Protestant Church. Rev. R. Cunningham, Pastor, Services as fol-lows: Preaching, 10.30 a.m. and 7.30 p. m. Sab-bails school 11.40 a.m. Prayer meeting Wednes-day 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend the above services. Danish Ev. Lutheran Church.

Rev. P. Kjolbede, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10,30 a. m. Sunday school at 9. a. m. Riblical Lesture Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. St. Mary's Catholic Church.

Services every first and third Sunday of the month. Confession on the preceeding Saturday On Sunday, mass at 10:45 octock a. m.; Sunday School at 2, pp. m.; Vespers and Benediction at 7 octock p. m. J. J. Riess, Pastor. Grayling Lodge No. 356 F. & A. M.

Meets to regular communication on Thursday avealing on or before the full of the moon. R. W. IRINK, W. M. J. P. HUM Secretary. Marvin Post No. 240, G. A. R.

Meets the second and fourth Saturdays in each conth. D. S WALDRON, Post Com. A. L. POND, Adjutant. Women's Relief Corps, No. 162.

Meets on the second and fourth Saturdays at clock in the attertioon. MRS. RHODA EVERETT, President MES. AGNES HAVENS, Sec.

Grayling Chapter R. A. M. No. 120 Mests every third Tuesday in each month.
G. W. TYLER, H. P. J. F. HUM, Sec.

Grayling Lodge I. O. O. F. No. 137 Meets every Tuesday evening.
DAVID FLAGG, N. G.
PETER BORCHER, Sec.

Crawford Tent, K. O. T. M M. 195 Meets first and third Saturdays of each month.
GRO. GRANDALL, Com.
Wm. WOODFIELD M. K.

Grayling Chapter, O. E. S., No. 88; Meets Wednesday evening on or before the full of the moon. MRS. EMMA KEELER, W. M., MRS. KATE WINNIE. Sec.

Court Grayling, I. O. F., No. 790 Meets second and last Wednesday of each nonth. LIBRIE BATES, C. R. F. M. FREELAND, R. S.

Companion Court Grayling No. 652, I. O. F.

Meets the second and last Wednesday each nonth at Maccabee Hall, over II, Petersen's store MARIA HAMMOD C. H. MRS, NELLIE MCNEVIN, R. S.

Crawford Hive, 690, L. O. T. M. M. Meets first and third Friday of each month. NANCY DECKHOW, Lady Com. ANNIE ISENHAUER, Record Keeper

Carfield Circle, No. 16, Ladies of the G. A. R. Meets the second and fourth Friday evening le ANNA HARRINGTON, President.

Crawford County Grange, No. 934 Affects as I. O. O. F. Hall, first and third Saturd day of each month as I p. m.
ELIZA BROTT, Masser.

PERRY OSTRANDER, Secretary, M. W. O. A. Camp No. 10428. Meets alternate Thursday evenings at G. A. R. KD. G. CLARK, V. C. M. A. BATES, Clerk.

Grayling Rebekah Lodge No. "352 I.O.O.F.

Mecta every Monday evening.

CARQIA PRATT. N. G.
ANNA ISENHAUER, Sec.

Grayling Lodge 473 I. B. of M. of W. E. Meets every and und last Mondays in each

W.J. LYNCH, Sec. Skandinavien F. F. Meets the 2nd and 4th Saturday of each month.
PETER SVENSEN, Problems.
JOHN OLSON, Recreasy.

Danebod Hall. Open Britanday evening 6:30-9:30. Bunday 2:00-8:200 p.m., Young Peoples Society mouth the first and third Thornday vening of every munch. Locture all other Thornday evening.

Unity Lodge No. 1362 M. B. A. Moves the first and third Thursday of each meach in the Marcohec Hall, P. D. BORCHEES, Sec.

Possitianity of Guts' Pur. Cats' for has no oily substananandr is mere es

wall of her. He got over the obvious difficulty by briefly alluding to her name and last request, without any praise except this: "She was born well, she lived well and she died well, for she was born with the name of bi and Camberwell and she died in

A Dig at Dusty. Tramp—Yee, mum, de way we travels about on de freight ears is very dangerous. I may say, we carries our

lives in our hands.

Houndhooper (naronatically)—And so
you nover widh, your hands for fear
of drowning yournelves, in that My

Witted by the Cleverness .. of a Courtier. Probably the majority of people, if

the King of Prussia Was Out-

It is related of Frederick the Sec asked what they considered to be the ond, king of Prussis, that he one day stition concerning the number '17. safest spot for them to be in, would i made a present of a golden snuff box "My wife was 17 when I first met reply: "In bed, or in an arm chair to one of his counts. When the lat ber," he says, "and the number of the by the side of the fire." But they are ter opened the lid he found the plc house to which I took her when we quite mistaken. The risk of injury is ture of an ass painted upon the under were married was 17. My present much greater than if one was travel. relished the king's joke, he said nothing at the time, but as soon as he building it on August 17. This was in

ing by ship or rail. At least, that is conclusion which the writer of an quitted the king's presence he sent 1885.
one of his valets with the snull box to the city, and gave instructions that article on accident insurance, published in the World's Work, has The curious fact is mentioned that. ocording to statistics, 60 per cent. of accidents happen while the victims re at home or in the street, the ox-

planation being that a man when going a fourney, or entering upon a basardous undertaking, exercises a time he produced his snuff box and ture dealer Gambart—II principe Gampretended to examine it with the air bartl, as they used to call him in of a man who was proud to have relitaly. He was held in great respect special care, thus escaping injury, but while at home, or taking exercise, vigilance is relaxed, famillarity with common dangers breeding contempt.

Probably the safest place on land sea is the deck or cabin of a firstclass ocean liner. A first-class railway carriage is also an exceptionally safe place. This is so clearly recogwhen the box was handed to her she opened the lid, and looking inside, asked me if they had seen it and what cried in raptures: "Perfect! The was the price. I told him of the fact. He was the price. I told him the likeness is about 100 me. panies can afford to double the compensation when accidents occur on

best portraits of you that I have ever next to her, who was oqually prices each half dozen. It was really charmed with the likeness. From one as if he had been buying bales of cotto another the box was passed, and all testified to the excellent resemblance which the picture bore to the head was still to be seen on the anuff paid me a visit.
box, felt exceedingly embarrassed; "'I want you,' but at last the snuff box, having made the tour of the table, came to his hands, and the first glance showed

against him.

rest. The moral is, of course, that whether a man lie, sit, walk, drive or 'Dad" Walsh is 104 Years of Age-Comes from Erin's isle.

"Dad" Walsh, Plymouth, Wis, who recently visited his son, Frank E. Walsh, mayor of West Allis, has the distinction of being the oldest horse man in the country. "Dad" is 104 years old. Less than two years ago he drove one of his

horses in a regular race. He is known by horse trainers from coast to coast, having made many trips around the racing circuits.
In Plymouth two years ago, Mr. Walsh, watching one of his horses race, thought the driver was not using his best efforts to win. When the first heat had been finished and the sawed six and a half cords of hard horse had crossed under the wire in the ruck, "Dad" rushed out upon the track and upbraided the driver. When it came time for the second heat he

> handly, as the horse appeared to have the other racers outclassed. Mr. Walsh was born in Ireland. He

home in Biddeford at 7 a. m., walked sunset. When 87 years old he averaged three cords of wood a day for 20 days. He ascribes his vigorous health to long constitutionals, which hair, perhaps, they have not dimmed he takes daily. Not long ago he walked from this city to Fortune's

> Nagel's Lost Opportunity Attorney General Wickersham took party of public men out to Fort Myer in his automobile to see the

acroplane tests one day recently, says

the Washington Post. Charles Nagel,

in the sent with Wickersham and they kept up a lively conversation during the trip.
When they arrived at the fort one

There were also found coffers filled stand French."

> Tribute to Tennyson. There is a memorial window to Tennyson in Haslemere parish church, me, an' t'udder one is foh her. with a tablet bearing the following in-

tary of State Knox.

"In memory of Alfred Lord Tennyson, poet laureate, in thankfulness for the music of his words, and for that yet more excellent gift whereby, up. being himself schooled by love and the hearts of many their faith in the trouble, an' now yuh see yuh done got things which are not seen—their hope de law on us." of immortality; in praise of God, the inspirer of prophet and poet, this window is dedicated by some friends

Her—Why on earth do they call fell to the ground. Some one asked im the paying teller? his reasons for letting go. "Faith." him the paying teller? Him-Because that's his job. Her-But it isn't. I asked him how

much you had in the bank, and please

to give it to me, and he wouldn't tell

and neighbors in Haslemere."

and he wouldn't nev.

ably in excess of 1.666.

teen Has Been Connected with

LUCKY

THE SAFEST SPOT ON EARTH JOKE TURNED ON FREDERICK ARTIST'S Alma-Tadema Declares That Seven His Good Fortunes.

Alma-Tadema confesses to a super

the picture of the ass was to be time designing and making plans and painted out, and a portrait of the sketches for the house. On November king put in its place.

A few days later a distinguished there."

The artist says that in 1864 he recount was one of the guests, and after ceived a visit from the English pic-17, 1886, we took up our residence

ceived such a gift from the king. The by artists. latter, wishing to enjoy a little amuse. "I remember him on that first visit ment of the count's expense, mento ne," the artist goes on, "standing tioned to the duchess of Brunswick before my easel, on which I had posed

that he had made a present of the my 'Coming Out of Church,' and say-box to the count on the preceding ing: 'Did you paint that picture for day. She desired to inspect it, and the Vanderdonkts?'

cried in raptures: "Perfect! The was the price. I told him that they likeness is charming. It is one of the had not seen it as yet. "Well, then, said Gambart, 'I'll take it; and let me have a couple of She handed the box to the person dozen of that kind at progressive

blance which the picture bore to the out Gambart's first commission, and king. The king, thinking that the ass' the day arrived when Gahbart again "' I want you,' he said, 'to paint me

another four dozen pictures on the same condition of rising value." "I consented and did my best not to him how cleverly the count had an-ticipated his little joke and turned it painted as one of them, and when the dealer saw it, perceiving that it was a far more important canvas than any IS THE OLDEST HORSEMAN of its predecessors—a work too that had cost me far more time and labor -he at once insisted upon paying for it the figure which was to have been given for the last half dozen."

170 was loaned out on mortgages, as was in the sulky, and he won the race against \$209,925,072 in the preceding year. Some idea of the economical manner in which these associations are conducted may be gained when it ford. came to this country 42 years ago and settled in Plymouth. eration of all the 5,599 organizations ford. Despite the fact that a century and more has rolled over his head, "Dad" is far from a feeble and decrepit old man. While the passing years have furrowed his face and thinned his hair, perhaps, they have not dismost \$1,423 associations, 389,446 members, hair, perhaps, they have not dismost \$158,510,745 assets and \$14,00 instantial that the fact that a century and was equal to seven-tenths of one per cent. of their assets. Membership cast quarter (E% of NW 4) \$158,510,745 assets and 14,496 increase his faculties, in membership. Ohio is second, with Tilted back in a chair, swapping 645 associations, 327,662 membership. tales of horsefiesh and puffing his clebuler then "Dad" is in his element.

New Jersey is third, with 447 assopius the fees of the sheriff.

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Calculations, 156,306 members, \$73,518,234

HUBBARD HEAD.

assets (increase in one year, \$5,715. 728) and 12,420 increase in membership. Illinois is fourth, Massachu-setts fifth and New York sixth, with 235 associations, 108,200 members, \$39.162.602 assets (increase, \$1.529. 439) and 750 increase in membership. Population considered, the associa-

tions made their greatest growth in secretary of commerce and labor, sat-New Jersey. Their Tickets Were Mixed. "Joel Chandler Harris was only exof the party asked Nagel how he and celled by Stephen Crane in his pro-Wickersham got along. found knowledge of negro character." Wickersham got along. found knowledge of negro character,"
"Oh, we got along all right," replied said an Atlantan. "Mr. Harris on a Nagel, "until Wickersham began to train one day pointed to a typical old talk French to me. I don't under colored couple, a stout old uncle and stand French." a stout old auntic. He said he'd play "Then why didn't you get even by a joke on them. So he pretended to talking law to him?" exclaimed Secre- be the conductor, and asked them for

their tickets. The old gentleman lished the tickets from his ragged vest. "'One o' dose sah,' he said, 'In foh

"But which is yours and which is hers?' demanded Mr. Harris with pretended impatience. "The old man began stammering

something, but the old lady shut him "'Dah now, yo' man, she cried, 'I sorrow, he had power to confirm in done tole yuh yuh'd git us inter

> Why Pat Dropped. An irishman fell from a house and landed on a wire about twenty feet from the ground. After he had strug-

gled a monient the man let go and

was the reply, "I was afraid the domn'd wire would break."

Roller skating, which is again to be the winter crass, has become a fash-torable pastime in Chisa. A rink has Many Statuse in Paris.

Few capitals of the world are so well equipped with statuse of public mean as Paris. A committee estimate as Paris. A committee estimate in figurates of the new excitation of the influence of the new excitation.

analyzae thereof of record:

Take Notice that sale has been law

tute proceedings for possession of the

Place of business, Roscommon, Mich.

Dated June 24, A. D. 1909

To Isaac Rorer, Roscommon, Mich.

Grantee under the last recorded deed in regular chain of title, to said land,

Office of

Sheriff of Crawford County.

Gravitae Mich. Lab. 20, 1909

Arator or truesco-saac Roer. CHARLES W. AMIDON, Sheriff of Crawford County. sept30-6w Fees \$1.10.

signed will institute proceedings for posession of the land. State of Michigan County of Craw-

Amount necessary to redeem \$44.88

Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Join Bellor Mentally Incompetent.
Orlando F. Barnes having filed in said court his petition alleging that said John Bellor is a mentally incom-

person and estate. the Chileans, of the Amstralians, the It is ordered, that the 26th day of Argentine folks and the New Zealand-

Austrica is June; the Russian and Austrica is July; the English, German, Dutch and Canadian to August; the Sandinavian, Scottish and Weish is Sandinavian, Scottish and Weish is Sandinavian, while the northwestering out, occurred the present part of Russia, Norway and Sweden do not gather their harvest until Cotober."

Chicago's Big Show Breaks All World's Fair Records in Attendance and Splendor. Office over Lewis & Co's. Drug Store.

Pine Lands

Over Alexander's Law Office on Michigan Avenue. Office hours:8.30–11 a. m. 1–3.30, p-m O. Palmer

FIRE INSURANCE.

lights. Over the main arch is an iri

"Our Thanksgiving celebrates the

same and the Algerians harvest in

PAPERS FIRE PEOPL

WE ARE MEN ONLY AS WE BECOME MEN.

By Prof. George B. Foster.

Almost every language contains the equivalent of our old saying: "lie's a chip of the old block." And then there is O. W. Holmes' "Every man is an omnibus in which all his aucestors are riding. More important still, the old church and

the new science both know a law of hereditation. Man is hereditarily burdened with predisposition to diseast and vice, they both as Now, the old church had a plan of escape from this network of necessity. A divine decree of grace ar-ranged for the salvation of a part of the race from the ruin of hereditary sin. But this sort of salvation does not satisfy the moral sense of the modern man. That a fixed number were arbitrarily selected to be saved from the curse nuder which our common humanity groanedthis conception has turned out to be offensive to the moral sense. No man wants that blessedness in which the must helplessly gazo upon the damnation of his brothers who were passed by in the decree of grace.

It is not whether we have inherited bane or blessing, it is what we do with our heritage that counts in the world of values. And we can convert our curse into a blessing, our blessing into a curse, both into character. The law of heredity which at the beginning of my cabinds me to its network can in the end free me from its network. I may be saved by the law from the Instead of thus denying the law we fulfill it.

AMERICA NO LONGER MERE SPECTATOR.

By Sidney Brooks.

It is difficult for Europeans, who live in a powder magazine and rarely have the fear of an explosion out of their minds, to realize the simplicity, spaciousness, and unhampered self-absorption of American life. Foreign politics is minimized by them at least as much as it is exaggerated by Europeaus. Americans can hardly be got to take them seriously. A diplomatic dispute with another power, conducted on either side upon the implication of force, is of all experiences the one most foreign to their normal routine of existence. When you have mentioned the Monroe doctrine you have pretty well indicated the sum of the average citizen's interest in external affairs.

During several years in the United States I do not recall a single well informed debate in Congress on the foreign policy of the republic or a single member who ever treated his constituents to an address on such a topic. The operative opinion of the commonwealth still derives to have as few dealings as possible with foreign powers still quotes and abides by Washington's warning against "entangling alliances," still shrinks from any course that threatens "complications," still clings to the policy of isolation as the one that most adequately squares with the needs of American conditions. This is so even though facts and necessity have out-

run many of the formulas, prejudices, and traditions hat a decade and a half ago were all but omnipotent. The peculiarity of America's position in the general cheme of world politics is indeed precisely this, that her people are unconsciously engaged in adapting their mental outlook to their achievements. The Spanish war landed them on a stream of tendencies that has already carried them far beyond their old confines, and is inexorably destined to carry them farther still.

UNITED STATES. PRECEPTOR OF JAPAN.

By Louis Ichige Ogata,

A visitor to Japan is at once impressed with the evident desire for education among the Japanese people that shows itself on every hand. The governmental regulation that makes education compulsory is really little needed, for the parents themselves show the greatest eagerness to give their children the best school advantages they can afford. In spite of the multitude of children who warm the streets and the vast number who work in the fields and in various industries where the cheap labor of children can be used to advantage, school sta-tistics in Japan show a much better percentage of children of school age in attendance than is shown in some

States in America. Recent reports show that there are about 30,000 public and private schools, nearly 120,000 professors and teachers, and about 5,295,000 students in Japan. There is hardly an incorporated city in the empire that has not at least one kindergarten. Many colleges and universities, public and private, furnish opportunity for higher learning to thousands of Japanese young men as well as women, but the crown of them all is the imperial university.

MARRIAGE AND GOOD LOOKS.

By Betty Vincent.

Cirls do you marry a man because he dresses well or because you love him? Do you love him because he is 6 feet tall and broad-shouldared or because he is honorable and a gentleman? From some of the letters I receive from young girls I cannot help inferring that their ideal is a combination of a clothing house poster and a showman in a musical production.

If the heart of the man is tender and kind, what can it matter if every feature on his face is hopelessly crooked? The doll-faced man is as bad as, and worse than, the doll-faced girl. The rugged man of sterling worth is the man to guard a woman's future and happi ness. If you are impressed with a man's smartness of dress stop and think, girls, how that same man would look in rough and simple working clothes. Ask your-self, too, if you would be willing to give up many of your own little vanities that your husband might gratify his own fastidious sense of adornment.

SAW GERMAN PARMERS WORK

Congressman and Mrs. Hitchcock, ecompanied by Miss Ruth Hitchcock and Miss Crounse, returned recently from a short trip to Europe, the Omaha World-Herald says.

Referring to the trip, Mr. Hitchcock "We were in Germany during the early harvest season and the work of whole families in the fields present ed scenes of prosperity and contentment. The work would be hard if done in a hurry and rush, as we Americans do it, but it does not appear to be so in German harvest fields. Old young and middle-aged of both sexes work away rather leisurely. They stop to rest and talk or take refresh ments often, and as a rule appear to be having a good time. I understand that Germany has 18,000,000 people upon the land, as the expression goes. That is a large proportion of her 65,

life is that competition still remains. It has not been wiped out by the trusts, as in America. The factories are scattered all over the German empire. Every town of any size has its years the wealth of Germany has inable symptom is the increase in living expenses. The increase is much great er in Germany than in England or

"I visited the city of Rheims in France during the great international flying machine contests and saw three flying machines in the air at the same time traveling at railroad train speed under perfect control. I saw both the monoplane and the biplane in flight and had a chance to see the advantages of each type. The double plan the single plane looks more like a bird,

"We timed our visit to Munich so as to attend the great Wagner festival. which is one of the musical treats that Europe offers each year. It is a strange sight to see people wearing their evening full-dress clothes at 3:30 in the afternoon and start for the opera. That custom, however, has its advantages. You get home by 10 o'clock without feeling the least hit tired, because you have two long intermissions which afford plenty of time for refreshments and a walk in the beautiful theater garden. We attended the four operas of the Niebelungen ring and were delighted with the

splendid productions."

trict of Columbia, is the busiest cen turion in the land. In addition to be company and manages a traction company that is the wonder of those who know what good car service means. In addition he is a member of all committees of civic organizations.

"I met Mrs. Harries just a few minutes ago," said one of the general's friends by way of making talk when they met. "Fine I'm very glad to hear it."

cience, perfect the typewriter before you start is on wireless and airships

hope of the future.-Rev. F. W. Hin nitt, Presbyterian, Danville, Ky. Life.-Life is more than the think-

ing of something else after death .-Rev. C. H. Jones, Baptist, Louisville. Self-Sacrifice.-Self-sacrifice is the

PARTEFUL REGILING SERVATES.

servant is a creature chock full of total depravity which makes heror him-unable to stay in one place

longer than it takes her or him to

become really uneful ought to read the records of the Domestic Servants' Be-

nevolent Institution, an English so-

clety, says an exchange. On its books

are names of several hundred serv-

ants, each of whom has been with the

same employer for more than fifty

years. William Sly, secretary of the

society, says that his experience has

convinced him that when servants are

One of these faithful servants was

Hannah Jane Cook, who died recently

at the age of 93 and who had been in

one family since her seventeenth year.

The death notice inserted in the pa-

pers by her employers called her a "most felthful friend," and as such,

rather than as a servant, she was always regarded. Miss Caroline Chiop.

also on the books of the society, is

supposed to be the oldest domestic

servant living. She is 101 years of age and eighty of these years have

seen spent in the service of one fam

January at the age of 107 years, had served three generations of the Hall

Some touching instances of love and

devotion come to light in the annals

of these old English servants. One

there was whose mistress was ruined

by a bank failure. The mistress told

the old domestic with great regret that she couldn't afford to keep her any

longer. "Well, ma'am," said the wom-

saved up all my wages and I've got enough." And till her death, some

years later, the former employer lived with this woman like a sister and was

cared for by her at her expense in

SHORT METER SERMONS.

Faith in God .- Faith in God is the

great comfort.

then I'll just keep thee. I've

family of Lisburn, Ireland.

Susan O'Hagan, who died last

well treated they seek few changes.

ties Routed by Fa People who hold that the medern

door to the true spiritual life.-Rev. C. E. Harding, Episcopalian, Balti

The Bible.-The Bible does not hold the place it once did. It holds a bet-ter place.—Rev. Dr. Eakin, Episcopa-Greatest Dynamic,--Religion is the

greatest dynamic in the world to-day. -Rev. II. Vanderwart, Reformed Hackensack, N. J. Love Counts.-Wisdom, philosophy

and science may fail and break down but love never fails.—Rev. J. W. Chapman, Evangelist, Hartford. Seeing Farther.-Religious men see

farther on their knees than philosophers on their tip-toes.—Rev. E. L. Powell, Christian, Louisville. The Index .- Stars and suns and sea

sons and laws and all the facts of the physical universe point to God .- Rev. R. F. Coyle, Presbyterian, Denver. No greater Joy .- There is nothing

in all the universe that can bring greater joy in the heavens than that one humble heart should repent.—Rev. A. H. C. Morse, Bantist, Brooklyn. Seed-Sowing,-Thinking is seedgrowing, and the fruit of your

thoughts is either wheat or tares, good or evil, according to the sowing .- Rev. J. W. Francis, Presbyterian, Parkers burg. Robbing God -- A man cannot rob God of that which rightly belongs to

Him and expect lasting blessings upon either himself or his children.-Rev. L. M. Zimmerman, Lutheran, Balti-

Industrial Problem.—The industrial problem will never be solved on the principle of class selfishness, but only on the basis of the highest welfare for all.-Rev. J. H. Speer, Presbyterian.

Liberty and License.—The constitution of the government of God Al-mighty proclaims life and liberty; but if you turn this liberty into license there will be punishment .- Rev. G. Marsh, Congregationalist, Pittsburg.

What God Wants.-The thing that God wants us to do is to stand as representatives of Illm, and realize that what He would do, we can do by the lives -- Rev. D. W. Bartlett. Bantist. Los Angeles.

Where They Came From

it is surprising from whence come the most common articles of food. The onion, the leek, garlic, and pea were favorites in Egypt; rye and parsley in Siberia: the citron and currents in Greece, and radishes hall from China and Japan.

The horse chestnut is a native of Tibet, the "Forbidden Land:" and the mulberry tree, walnut, and peach traveled westward from Persia. Very few consider that oats originated in North Africa at a time when Egypt was the granary of the world.

The chestnut came from Italy, celery from Germany, spinach from Arabia, the sunflower from Peru, and cucumber from India. Tobacco is a native of Virginia.

Scotland's Emblem The Danes made it a rule never to attack an enemy by night, on account of its cowardice, but upon one occasion they broke this rule. On they crept, barefooted, noiselessly and unobserved, when one of them stepped on a thistle, which made him cry in pain. Alarmed by the cry, the feated them with fearful slaughter. Ever since the thistle has been adopted as the emblem of Scotland.

And if you are afraid to ask for what you want the chances are that some one will hand you a lemon.

upon their friends solely as a soft place to land.

Horse fairs, held aimost continuously, have helped to make Belgium the greatest horse-breeding country of its especially Germans, who purchase 25, 000 horses a year at these exhibitions. It is estimated that there are now 800,000 horses in Belgium, a country not quite as large as the State of Maryland, which has just about half that number of horses.

Ponitry Mites Red mites are the most diresome plague of the poultry house. Recent experiments have proved conclusively that turpentine will destroy them more quickly than will kerosene. Boiling hot water will kill all of them that it touches, but it is difficult to reach them all with this. A quart of boiling hot water, adding to it a quart of fresh lime, using it with the spray pump, will destroy mites and insect vermin of all kinds. Lime wash will not destroy the mites, but boiling hot brine will kill them.

The number of acres all devoted to rye in the United States in the year 1905 was 1.720.159; average production per acre, 16.5 bushels; average farm price, 61.1 cents; average value per acre, \$10.07. Twenty bushels an acre is considered a fair crop, but 30 bushels an acre are frequently raised. It is extensively grown for green manuring to be plowed under to enrich solls with humus, and is largely sown (particularly in the South), as a for-age crop. Rye is subject to less mishaps than any other grain except buckwheat. It is subject to a disease known as ergot, in this country usually called "false rye." Ergot is poisonous. There are cases on record where whole families have been polsoned by eating bread that was badly mixed with ergot. In this country the cleaning works in the mills separate it out of the grain before grinding, which is asily done, as the ergot is much larger than the kernels of rye.

Sheep and Fertility.

Sheep, when properly managed, are the most efficient live stock on the farm to restore fertility to the soil and at the same time leave both the soll and the fertilizer in the best possible condition to promote rapid growth. It has been my experience and observation that sheep improve the mechanical condition of the soil than any other kind of live stock. As a general rule, farmers are coming to believe that the pasturing of heavy live stock, such as the horse and dairy and beef cattle, has a tendency to compact tillable soils and besides injure their physical and mechanical conditions.

This is not true with sheep. In the first place they are not classed among heavy live stock. Their tramping over the surface of the soil does not have the detrimental influence of the horse believe that sheep decidedly improve tramping because their small hoof has growth and development of the forage, but assists in the formation of a compared with these breeds, poaids in the conservation of soil mois- (protein) rations.

I have observed on my farm, where that: of cattle in adjoining fields, that the pasture upon which the sheep grases possessed a deeper green appearance during the summer months than tha upon which the cattle were pasturing. -New York Farmer.

The Angora as a Trail Maker. The brush eating instinct of the tein rations. angora goat is being successfully dem onstrated on the Lasson national for est in California, where they are cut ting trails for fire guards through the brushy areas on the slopes of the mountains.

The animals, which number 3,000 have been divided into two bands, and under the care of the herders are grazed within certain well-defined areas, so that their work may be con centrated on the brush within those limits. The result is that they have practically killed nearly all the brush in the course, either by eating it up entirely, or by barking, as in the cas of the heavy manzanita bushes. At the beginning of the experiment there was some doubt as to the goats' willingness to eat the manzanita, but it has been found that where there is goes of lumber that has ever left the little else they will just as readily

attack it as any other bushes. The grazing season was so late this year on the Lasson forest that the into a Chinese temple goats did not begin operations until about the middle of June, but since then they have made rapid progress, and the result promises to be a suc cess from every point of view. The trails will first be opened and then kept free of sprouts by the goats, say ing the government considerable labor in cutting them out by hand, as has been done heretofore, while the brushy forage which otherwise would have been wasted will support 2,000 goats very comfortably -- Twentieth Century

Earthworms and Green Many Earthworms are credited with carry ing humas deep in the ground, far below the level of the despent physing. are important in kee soil rich and assisting in

larger crops. Experiments with ryare reported which show that when these worms are present in large num larger crop than from a tract in the neighborhood from which all the worms had been taken. An experi ment, under the same conditions, made

per cent. The value of green manure is great size in the world. The fairs are ly enhanced when plants are selected largely attended by foreign buyers, that are known to contain the chemithat are known to contain the chemicals the soil requires. In some plants we find more of one thing than of another. For instance, we find

clover, alfalfa and vetch are rich in nitrogen, consequently proving to be valuable for most soils, as soils gen erally are deficient in nitrogen. plant should be chosen that will return more to the soil than what it takes out, or nothing will be gained by growing it. Grown for fertilizing pur-poses, plants should be sown in the fall and plowed under in the spring. The time to turn such plants under is when they are in bloom, as it is at that time when they contain the great est amount of nitrogen, and it is coarse salt dissolved in two gallons of readily assimilated by the soil. If de layed beyond the period of bloom the plants become woody and consequent

> The most common method for bud ding peach trees is to cut out a bud with the bark an inch long and insert it under the bark of the tree with the wood attached. 'Another method is to take out the wood that lies under the bud and insert the bud in the same way. A third way is to girdle the budding stick and split down on the back side from the bud, peel off the bark, then lay this around the sprout to be budded on, cut through the bark and peel off, then tie the bark with the intended bud in place and tie. This is the surest way if done well, more especially on hard wood, as the nuts As a usual thing nurserymen buy seed by the bushel and plant them in rows -little seed, big seed, red, yellow and white peaches—then bud them as they come, regardless of size or color. The outcome is that no two trees are alike and no one can tell what variety o peach will be the result. It is better to select the best peaches of variety desired-say, Elberta, a healthy tree that has the right shape and proper color—and plant the seeds in a row Number the row Elberta No. 1. Mark the tree from which they were taken No. 1. In August take buds from No. 1 tree and bud on No. 1 row, and our word for it, every peach will be of the right shape and color. If this process is kept up to the third generation the peaches will be far auperior to the originals. This method is a kind of inbreeding, and will so fix the type that every peach will be just alike.-Field and Farm.

Breed and Feed.

Some years ago, as a preliminary to further investigation on the influence

1 Magnired by potnel Increase weight and by increase relative to cited schoolboy. feed consumed, the lard type of hog possesses much the larger capacity for utilizing rations of wide nutritive ra-

2. By the same standard the bacon

Measured by increase in weight for feed consumed, the wide ration proved four-fifths as efficient as the narrow ration in the case of the lard type hogs and three-fifths as efficient

4. In both type of hogs the largest increase in weight, relative to feed consumed, and apparently the fattest hogs, resulted from the feeding of the

Tamworth proved to be the least adapted for growth on an exclusive corn diet.

the steamer M. S. Dollar will have on board one of the most singular carport, says the Oregon Journal. Her deck load is composed of huge unsawed logs which are destined to go

logs and they range in length from 106 to 106 feet. They average about fortythree inches at the butt and such weighs in the neighborhood of fifteen They will be disharged comehai and Hankow, after which they into the interior of the country, where they will be used in making repairs to a Buddhist temple which is many

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A Hard Proposition

A young man visited his doctor and described a common iliness that had befallen him.

"The thing for you to do," the physician said, "is to drink hot water an hour before breakfast every morning." "Well, how are you feeling?" the doctor asked a week later. follow my advice and drink hot water

an hour before breakfast?" "I did my best, sir, but I couldn't more'n ten minutes at a stretch."-Tit-Blts.

WISHED DEATH MIGHT COME

To Relieve the Awful Saffering of Advanced Kidney Dises William Gibson, Greenup, Ky., says: Three months I was in bed, and Three months I was in bed, and would have died, I



My doctor said the case was hopeless.
My back felt as if it were being seared with a red-hot iron The kidney secre tions were painful, irregular and full of

but

irregular and full of sediment. There were puffy spots beneath my eyes and my head pained terribly. I was miserable in every way and often wished death might relieve me. When I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills my condition was so serious that they had little effect, but I persisted, getting gradually better, and it was not a great while before I was cured. The effect has been lasting."

ig." Remember the name—Doan's by all dealers. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Where the Work Came In. Mrs. Bacon-I understand your hus band is at work on a new poem? Mrs. Egbert—He is. He's trying to get

ome magazine to accept it.—Yonkers Statesman. The U. S. Government has bought 25 Gross (3,500 boxes) of Rough on Rais to send to the Panama Canal Zone, because it does the work. The old reliable, that never fails. The unbeatable exterminator. 15c, 25c, 75c.

Teaching Oyama to Shoot.

"Twenty-five years ago I was an exerienced rifle shot," writes Horace Fletcher in the World's Work, "and could hit a moving object every time. The 22-caliber rifle and machine-made cartridge, which came into general use in the '70s, made extensive rifle practice possible. I wrote and published at the time a pamphlet on how to shoot with a rifle. It happened that copies of the pamphlet reached Japan where I passed some time soon after. Japan had just begun to make a military organization on the most modern lines and Marquis Oyama was minister of war. He invited me to visit him in his home at Tokyo and showed great interest in the method of learning to shoot at a moving object with a rifle. He had already seen the pamphlet.

"I had a number of American rifles and ample ammunition with me in Janan' and Marquis Oyama and the then Colonel Murata (inventor of the Japanese military rifle) joined me several afternoons at target practice. They entered enthusiastically into the spirit, Oyama in particular showing the enthusiasm of a boy. I shall never forget his keen joy the first time he hit a moving object with a bullet. It was a teapot thrown in the air, I believe, and when it came down in the dust and pieces he capered about and screamed in his delight like an ex-

FOOD OURSTION

Settled with Perfect Satisfaction by a Dyspeptic.
It's not an easy matter to satisfy at

the members of the family at meal time as every housewife knows And when the husband has dyapensin and can't eat the simplest ordinary food without causing trouble, the food

question becomes doubly annoying. An Illinois woman writes: "My husband's health was poor, he had no appetite for anything I could

get for him, it seemed. "He was hardly able to work, was taking medicine continually, and as soon as he would feel better would so to work again only to give up in a few weeks. He suffered severely with stomach trouble.

"Tired of everything I had been able to get for him to eat, one day seeing an advertisement about Grane Nuts, I got some and he tried it for breakfast the next morning.

'We all thought it was pretty good, although we had no idea of using it regularly. But when my husband came some at night he asked for Grape. Kuts.

"It was the same next day and I had to get if right along, because when we would get to the table the question, 'Have you any Grape-Nuts?' was regular thing. So I began to buy t by the dozen page.

"My husband's health began to improve right along. I sometimes feit offended when I'd make something I thought he would like for a change and still hear the same old question.

'Have you any Grape-Nuta?' "He got so well that for the last two years he has hardly lost a day from his work and we are still using Grape-Nuts." Read the book. Road to Wellville," in page. "There's

Ever rend the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are gonuine, true, and full of human interest.



THE MEN WHO

gentleman with a mauve ribbon in his only is eaten. Never will the sauce buttonhole hastens to Paris, writes a correspondent from the French capital. The Cologne Express carries another. the Sud Express a third. A fourth comes by the English packet. From Lisbon and St. Petersburg two start; and Constantinople two arrive. All wear the pale mauve rib-

They are the cooks of four great

Without the best butters, vinegars, wines, truffes, mushrooms, herbs. M. Quellian deplores the Turkish craze cream, spices and raw materials of all for stuffed meats of all kinds. They pantry chef hands out the ingredients plicated with a stuffing—that terrible of every dish completely garnished to strangled "high" duck, whose sauce All cold dishes are his particular care.

The kitchens of Edward, the Czar, Alfonso and Leopold are to-day near years ago kept the most princely table go slow he still invited the archdukes and their suites. Then finally the force was handed over to the Archduke Ferdinand, whose simple living is natural and whose enthusiasm did not last a year. For the first time in 1,000 years the court of the Holy Ronan Empire (till 1809) had no longer

the greatest kitchen of the world. To-day Francis Joseph eats alone. When he goes on a gastronomic spree with frankfurters and horseradish, with "spactzle" cakes But the kitchens of Nicholas, Edward, Alfonso and Leopold are run on the great old

1. A pantry chef.
2. A chef of soups, entrees and hot desserts, including souffles, fritters (sweet or otherwise), hot fruit croutes,

A chef ronster, who also directs all grills and fries. A sauce chef, who rules over all that carries a sauce; fish, braised meats, etc., i. e., the majority of

dishes 5. A pastry cock. 6. A chef decorator. Do not think he decorates the table. He decorates the food. Be it the czar's bear chops, the baby bear with bright glass eyes brought in holding his own che a sliver plats garnished with semilar. When Edward eats his faworlde turtle doves they come boned. wrapped in a chaud-froid sauce with

"presentations" of the dish are shef decerator's work He almost tasidermist spreads the tall of the

men design in black truffes. They

cook try to roast nor the roaste

touch a sauce. Those turtle dove pass from chef to chef, each adding what the lilac ribbon orders. Quellian, head chef of the old sul tan, taken over by the new, quit the Cafe de Paris six years ago on \$2,000 per year salary and an admitted com mission on purchases of from \$6,000 to \$3,000. To-day he has a real dilettanto to work for-the new sultan is a post, rose grower and gourmet; but

his colleagues. He has one specialty, demands its liver festered in the sun M. Mennger, head chef of Edward and M. Peltier, head chef of Queen Alexandra, have fixed salaries o perfection. Francis Joseph up to ten \$5,000, free lodgings and a rake-off of 3 per cent on all purchases accepted by When age forced him to them. Queen Alexandra has simple instes-a breast of Bohemian pheasant a slice of Danube sturgeon, or a saddle of Siberian young boar. On the contrary, King Edward probably knows more about great feeding than did Carlos himself. He delights in plovers' eggs. He adores little birds. The art of these cooks is sublime Each can give you a choice of 5,000 dishes. There are 125 ways of pre paring eggs, 32 "on the plate" (not

fried, but done in the bainmarle); 47 poached, 20 with cheese, 13 "en cocotte" (tiny earthen dish), 32 ome lettes, not to mention any use of hard boiled eggs. Veal is cooked in 20 There are 80 principal soups. The nursing school of modern cas tronomy is the Salon of Parisian Crefs. Here meet Paul de Amiel of the Quirinal kitchens, Bosomporo of

the Vatican. Quenon of Belgium; Bo relli, with Prince Dorin, and others. A great catering combination it is, able to undertake the most brillfant gala dinners at a day's notice. Its cen ter is Paris. It is run by business men who can offer many advantages that an artist chef, thoughtless of money details, might not think of. It is the beginning of the end of prince-

ly kitchens. The Harmless Fac.

"Your political antagonist is calling you every name he can think of," said

the agitated friend Don't interrupt him " said Senator are ranged round a bed of Spanish Sorghum. It is better to have a man muts pures. But, shove them, the searching the dictionary for epithets mantiful birds spread their white than going after your record for -Washington Star

It may not be possible for you to be agreeable to some people, but you the his mirrores facthers ever one keep away from them.

ressman Says Harvesters There Never Get in a Harry.

000,000 people.

France, but is less than in the United

is simpler and more graceful.

Buar Mr. Harrics. Gen. George H. Harries, command r-in-chief of the militia of the Dis ing a soldier, he runs an electric light

returned the general. "I met her my self last week" If you want to do something to

it's some mitisfaction to know that people can't draw a sight draft on you

"The best part of Germany factor: smoking factory chimneys. In fifteen reased 50 per cent. The only unfavor-

States.

There are too many people who look

with peas, showed an increase of 300

ly do not so readily decay.

Budding Peach Tree

make much more difficult to till, and of breed, feed and environment in the disnosition of fat and lean hogs, the Ohio Experiment Station decided to make use of a large collection of shoats representing all the common breeds, for the purpose of learning whether a physiological difference in digestive capacity in the digestion of or cow. In fact, I am inclined to starchy and protein feeds, respectively could be demonstrated in hogs of the the physical and mechanical condi-two types mentioned. In other words tion of the soil by their constant whether the Poland China pig. as an example, had acquired by inheritance a tendency to loosen the surface soil a capacity for digesting and assimilatand induce the formation of a shallow ing wide (carbonaceous) rations, such mulch that in no way injures the as corn, in greater degree than the Yorkshire, and, on the other hand, as blanket to the soil that materially a smaller capacity for utilizing narrow

The records of the experiment show

hogs showed slightly the greater capacity for digesting narrow or pro-

for the bacon type.

more nitrogenous ration. Of all the breeds tested, the

Big Logs for China. When she leaves Linnton for China

There are about twenty five of these where along the river between Shang will have to be taken a long distance

The work of transferring them from the coast to their destination will be az enermone task, as for most of the they will have to be trames by the most primitive methods, and it will be the work of months to get them to their destination.

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These points are reached best by the lows Central and Minneapolis &

St. Louis R. R. lines.

There will be about 14,000 quarter sections allotted to settlers. The land lays well for farming over most of the reservation. The soil is a light loam and is very fertile. It is similar to that in the counties east of the flow, where the land sells from \$25.00 to \$30.00 per acre. Lignite coal is found over a great part of the reservation.

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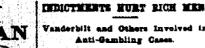
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7—Second battle of Saratoga Springs, which led ten days later

to the surrender of Burgoyne.

occurred.

at Tappan, N. Y.

1879-The Ute massacre in Colorado

780-Americans defeated the British

1781-The slege of Yorktown begun by

1784-First Protestant Episcopal con

vention met in New York City.

805-Lewis and Clarke entered Oregon

1811—Bonaparte established a mari-

1812-Napoleon defeated the Russians

1818-The Indians of Ohlo ceded all

1829-The ports of the United States

reopened to British commerce.

1831-Free trade convention met in

1849—Owego, N. Y., almost completely destroyed by fire.

1854—Abraham Lincoln challenged Stephen A. Douglas to a joint de-bate in the campaign for the Sen-

1871-Brigham Young arrested on

1890-Centennial of the introduction of

891-Leland Stanford, Jr., University

cotton spinning celebrated at Paw-

first opened to students....Three feet of snow fell in Montana....A

disastrous tornado swept over Beltrami and Itasca Counties, Min-

nesota.... Equestrian statue of

Gen. Grant in Lincoln Park, Chi-

by the Michigamme river flooding the Mansfield mine in Michigan.

in Chicago, the lowest recorded

special session to pass a law making prize fighting illegal.

1893-Twenty-eight miners drowned

1894-Wheat sold at 50 cents a bushel

1895-The Texas Legislature met in

1897—Gen, George M. Robeson, who was President Grant's secretary of

the navy, died in Trenton, N. J.

1902—Strike of street car employes in

1903-Chicago celebrated the 100th an-

cost thousands of lives.... The city of Pittsburg, Pa., celebrated its

250th anniversary....The 2-cent postage rate between the United

States and Great Britain went in-to effect.... Harry A. Garfield in-

augurated president of Williams

College....The American buttle-ship fleet arrived at Manila....Lo-

cal option elections in Ohio closed

Coldest at Six Miles High

The interesting discovery that the

atmosphere over the polar regions is colder at an altitude of six miles than at ten has just been made by Prof.

Hergesell, who sent up a registering

balloon from the prince of Monaco's yacht at Tromsoe, Norway, in Septem-ber of 1906. Last month this balloon

with its instruments intact was found

by Laplanders on a glacter near Ski-botten. A height of 17,000 meters or about ten miles was indicated by the

figure was found to have been regis-tered at a height of six miles, where-

gions as elsewhere. The warmer layer occurs lower at the poles than at

Little Vapor Found on Mars, Director Campbell of Lick Observa-tory, San Jose, Cal., in a synopsis of his recent observations of Mars from

that water vapor does not exist on the

planet in sufficient quantities to be de-

tected by the spectroscopic method. The bands on the spectroscope were

found to be no stronger in the case of

Mars, viewed from that altitude, above

four-fifths of the earth's vapor, than were the bands produced by the moon. Prof. Campbell explains that this does

er than astronomical. Similar observa-

Following an autopsy at Dayton, Ga.

over the body of William Glase, a wealthy bachelor who died Aug. 18, Mrs. L. J. Atkinson, the wife of Glase's

half-brother, was arrested. The ex-amination of Glase's stomach revealed

After tacking a card bearing the

door of his house, Charles Senf, a Bal-

timore printer, went to his room and

shot himself through the head, dying

Six survivors out of a crew of eigh-

six survivors out of a crew of eighteen are reported at Bultimore to be on on board the Winter Quarter lightship. It is believed they are part of the crew of a Norwegian vessel which foundared.

Rear Admiral Schley, retired, has

"Dead, come in," on the front

large amount of strychnine.

miles was

niversary of its settlement. 1908-Floods near Hyderabad, India,

New Orleans.

charge of polygamy.

their remaining lands in the State.

at the battle of the Moskowa.

time conscription in the Hunscatio

territory at Lewiston.

at battle of King's Mountain, South Carolina...Maj. John Andre of the British army hanged as a spy

Washington's army and the French

The indictments by the grand jur of the Coney Island and Jockey Clubs for violation of the auti-betting laws of New York State, which became public Monday, involve a num ber of the most prominent supporters of racing in the United States. W. K. Vanderbilt owns a controlling interest in the Coney Island Jockey Club, of which Schuyler L. Parsons is president; George Peabody Wetmore and Mr. Vanderbilt are vice presidents, F. R. Hitchcock, treasurer: V. E. Schnum berg, secretary, and Thomas H. Smith, racing secretary.

The board of governors includes . Harry Alexander, F. Gray Griswold Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., E. D. Morgan Herbert C. Pell, F. K. Sturgis and J. W. Wadsworth. The president of the Brooklyn Jockey Club, which operates the Gravesend track, is Philip J. Dwyer. F. Rehberger is secretary.
It was the increase of "oral bet

ting," conducted by the so-called "memory brokers," that resulted in this latest evidence of Gov. Hugher continued activity and the indict ments. For some time it was know Gov. Hughes was dissatisfied with the apparent increase in oral bei ting. There is much gloomy specula tion among followers of racing as to the probable effect of the new crusade against gambling.

DECISION IS AGAINST WALSH.

Chicago Banker and Railroad Magnate Must Go to Prison.

John R. Walsh, Chicago banker an railroad magnate, lost his battle to reverse his sentence of five years in the penitentiary for violation of Federal banking laws Tuesday. The United States Circuit Court of Appeals afand unless the United States Supremi Court interferes he will go to the For Leavenworth (Kan.) prison.

when the decision was read by Judge Grosscup, who sat with Judges Baker and Seaman, but he learned his fate by telephone while at his desk in the Grand Central Station building. The decision fails to upset any point of the finding that Walsh broke the law in the use of funds of the Chicago National Bank, of which he was president.

Part of the opinion, which was writ ten by Judge Humphrey, refutes, the defense's assertion that Walsh had no criminal intent in the manipulation dia House-Charles Lamb. of the securities intrusted to him. In this regard the decision quotes: reckless act is always regarded as the equivalent of a willful one, and that at least was here."

BALLINGER FOR SAVING OF LAND

Address at Sacramento, Col., Outlines Interior Secretary's Policy. "The Sacramento valley contains ment. Irrigation properly applied will It is my desire so far as the laws will permit to enforce the saving and the right use of the public domain." So said Secretary Ballinger at a banquet in Sacramento, Cal., Thursday night, following his visit to the Orlaido irrigation project. "Absorbing does not accomplish the most desirable

certain lands and sequestering them results, but when it is put to practical use all the people will be the real beneficiaries. The work should go forward, and that is what the administra tion will do to the best of its ability In following the policy of Mr. Roose velt of trying to do everything pos sible to assist the western country And when we find that our work is obstructed by the laws we will ask for further authority."

ADMITS MURDER; SAVES MOTHER Boy Then Declares He Did Not Kill

altitude recording instrument. The lowest temperature registered was minus 50 degrees centigrade, but this His Father. Anton Krupnicke was a wealthy farmer living a few miles from Syd-ney, Neb. On the night of June 29 he arose from his bed, got a drink of as the temperature registered at the water and sat down at the kitchen to ble. While sitting there a bullet from minus 47 centigrade. This is the first proof that the inversive layer of air in which the temperature rises after a certain point exists over the polar re-

a rifle was fired into his right temple, producing almost instant death. Mrs. Krupnicke telephoned the sherstolen \$700 and then killed her hus band. The money and the rifle were found wrapped in Mrs. Krupnicke's

apron and buried near the stable. She was arrested, charged with murder. The other day in court, Andrew, her 14-year-old son, testified that it was he and not his mother who shot his father. After the boy was sentenced to imprisonment for life the case against the mother was dismissed. Then the boy told the sheriff that he was not

sion." Final Standing of National League

not mean that Mars has no vapor, nor that life does not exist on Mars. The question of life there is biological rath-Pittsburg .110 42 Philad phia 74 79 Chicago ..104 49 Brooklyn. 55 98 tions at Flagstaff, Ariz., have indicated to Prof. Lowell the presence of oxygen New York. 92 61 St. Louis, . 54 98 Cincinnati. 77 76 Boston45 108

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Quakes Rock Salt Lake City. Three sharp and distinct earth-quakes were felt at Salt Lake City Tuesday night. The first occurred at were felt at many points in Idaho.

Pire Stops Burlington Trains. The main line of the Burlington blocked to all traffic for ten hours by the burning of two grain elevators at the village of Denton.

Curting Palls 70 Feet; Unhurt.

anceled all his engagements in New After a brief but thrilling flight in York on account of his health and will Ferest Park, St. Louis, at dusk Thursday night, Glenn H. Curties made an eturn to Washington and seclusion. unexpected descent, falling almost sev To stimulate interest in church, the Rev. T. W. Cook, Episcopal rector of enty feet. The aviator was badly Dayton, Ohio, has announced that he shaken, but no bones were broken and will permit smoking during services. he was not injured.

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The little boy who had stack his read out of the car window to address a question to the man on the station. platform drew it in again: "Mamma," he said, "that man out

there says this place is Wydopen. Isn't that a funny name for a town?"

Frank Junny name for a town?"

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Why He Got His. been thrown out of a large office build

ing, wept bitterly as he looked at his torn clothes and broken wares. "Who did this?" inquired the friendly cop. "I'll pinch 'em if you say the word." "No; it was my fault," said the vic-

"No; it was my raus, same the remains of a plaster image. "I insisted on trying to sell a bust of Noah Webster to a meeting of simplified spellers."—Denver Republican.

Teacher—What do we know con-cerning the canals on Mars? Shaggy Haired Pupil—Gee! We don't know any more about 'em than we do about our own north pole.

Of the 3.238 fires which occurred in London in 1908, electricity is said to have been the cause of 101, and 355 were attributed to gas.

The body of the philosopher Kant to to be transferred to the Fuerstengruft of the cathedral in Koenigaberg.

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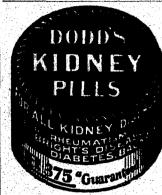
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-Chicago Tribune. It is thought the experiments being nade in the Chilean nitrate fields will educe the cost of production at per

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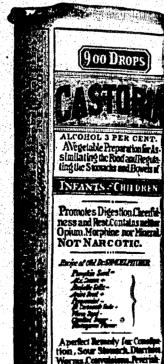
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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, OCT. 14

Crude thoughts as they fall from the Editorial Pen-Pleasant Evening

God bless the cheerful person, man woman, or child, old or young, litterate or educated, handsome or homely. Over and above every social traitstands cheerfulness. What the sun is to nature, what God is to the stricken heart, are cheerful persons in their silent mission, brightening up society around them with the happiness beaming from their faces.

much more in demand than a frivol-ous beauty? Do you know that a well-tive. We have seen a timid, weak, appointed, sensible man does not of self-distrusting little body fairly ten give his heart or his home into bloom into streng, self-reliant womanthe keeping of a woman whose only under the tonic and cordial of comattraction is her personal loveliness? pa nionship with a husband who really And that in case he does anything so went out of his way to find opposion rash, when he repents at his leisure, he usually tells her so.

Keep your skeletons shut up in your closets is a good rule for everyone to obey. A sorrow or misfortune may bring to you the sympathy, not only the other. And it is just as much his of your friends, but of indifferent acquaintances, but there are limits bewond which this will not be carried. People soon tire of a grief in which they are not personally concerned. The sunshine is so much more agreeabfe than the shadow that it will be sought for, and they expect you will help to make it as soon as what they assume to be a reasonable time has passed by. If you do not, if you are constantly opening the doors of your skeleton closet and weeping over what it contains, you need not be surprised that you are shunned by those upon whose affection you have most counted. You must smile though your heart be well nigh broken and it is right that you should do so. The world, albeit it is not a bad world, is still full enough of care and burdens for each human being to carry for himself as to make the carrying of those of others for a prolonged period unbearable.

PARENTS AND CHILDREN.

to grow up an exceedingly unpleasant person, unless, indeed, there be an extraordinary amount of natural good in him to counterbalance the undue indulgence. Shielding children from every chilling breath of life's air begets a love of ease and selfish enjoyment which becomes fixed when child the self-shield and the property of the self-shield and build up brain and body. J. A. Hormon, Lizemore, W. Va., writes: They are the best pills I ever used." East a love of ease and selfish enjoyment which becomes fixed when child the self-shield and the property of the self-shield and the property of the self-shield and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's New Life Pills in a keen, clear brain, backed by indomitable will and resistless energy. Such power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's and body. J. A. Hormon, Lizemore, we will be sent your power comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's and body. J. A. Hormon, Lizemore, comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's and body. J. A. Hormon, Lizemore, comes from the splendid health that Dr. King's and power comes from ment which becomes fixed when child hood is past. A mother, for example, had denied herself every comfort. OFFER NO. 2-McClure's Magazine, She had risen early and had taken might have a "perfectly happy girl- for \$3.60. hood." No duty, was exacted of them. might do so, if not, there was no one be sent for \$2.00. to ease the weary mother of her bur-den. Small wonder is it that after order accompanied by postal money these girls grew up their sole thought was for self. The mother was ignored Monthly, Portland, Oregon. by them; disrespectfully spoken of as "old-fashioned" and "without taste." Indeed, she was only regarded as one who could bake and brew, and was best friends tired of them, and their There can be no unhappiness in life unless the straight line of duty, which leads to "beauty's curve," be conscientiously followed. Let every mother inculcate in her children' minds that it is more blessed to give The Advantages of Northern Michigan.

A home whose walls never echo to the voice of childhood cannot well be gay trappings and gilded halls, there its purpose the promotion of the setbe hospitality and hilarity, there may ed "wild" lands in the upper portion be eating and drinking and merry mak of the lower peninsula. It is prososed ing, there may be song and sentiment to have 19 of these counties join in a and there may be prayer and praise, co-operative movement to induce setbut the voice of babyhood and the ex- tlers to locate in this territory. Thirpressed love of childhood more than teen of the counties are already reoutweigh them all within the sacred presented on the board of incorporahalls of heart memories and soul re- tors and the others are expected to membrance.

than to receive.

And pass the filial maternal and paternal kiss. Where love rules the hour in all sorts

Io thrice blest, and a home of

beauty and bliss

It is the duty of every woman to al. drawing a steady flow of settlers in well at home. If she does their direction from the various ports

her own work, a little care and proper clothing will make her look clean and seat even to the kitchen. Particularly in the afternoon and evening, she should make herself look as sweet and pretty as possible. No matter lem which offers vast opportunities how much your husband loves you, as well as difficulties in its solution. he will love you all the more if, when he comes home to supper you meet tention it demands. Hundreds of him with a smile, neatly dressed and thousands of scree of this territory with your hair combed in the most which for many years was regarded

A HUSBAND'S DUTY TO HIS WIFE

The man who declared that a aunshiny husband makes a merry beautiful home, worth having, worth workfor place, no insisting on perogatives Q. Palmer, Frederic, Crawford Co., or division of interests, The husband Mich. On the farm of John Palmer. and wife are each the compliment of duty to be cheerful as it is here to be patient; his right to bring joy into the door, as it is hers to sweep and gar nish the pleasant interior. A family where the daily walk of the father makes life a featival, is filled with something like heavenly benediction

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The Pacific Monthly

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Branteson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Levoque, decased.

Edward A. Gaffney having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Joseph J. Royce or some other suitable person.

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Evening Tide. ed success, and the lower peninsula countles north from a line drawn west from Saginaw today contain sheep and cattle ranches that compare favorably with those of Montana ing for, had a fine conception of one and the west. In the 19 counties inof the chief characteristics of a hap- cluded in the activities of the developpy household. If man is breezy, bureau it is estimated that there are cheery, considerate and sympathetic, 7,000,000 acres of good farming land. his wife sings in her heart over her Any of this land is superior to much puddings and mending basket, counts that Ontario is successfully persuadthe hours till he returns an night und ing settlers by public and private efrenews her youth in the security she forts, to take up. The advantages of feels of his appreciation and admiration. You may think it weak or childish if you please, but it is the admired state thousands of persons who will Listen to me, you preity girl! Do wife, who hears words of praise and you know that a plain, sensible girl is receives smiles of commendation. If this publicity is properly given it will work wonders within a few years -Saginaw Evening News.

Estray Notice.

A steer, about 3 years old, light red with an oblong white spot on each hip for showing her how fully he trusted and a white belly, came in my eucloher judgement, and how tenderly he sure about 2 months ago. Owner deferred to her opinion. In home please call for same and pay for this life there should be no jar, no striying ad, and his care, and oblige. George oct 14-5 times.

Probate Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of

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Judge of Probate.

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State of Michigan, county of Crawford.

Amount necessary to redeem, \$26.74

plus the fees of the sheriff.

O. F. BARNES.

Place of business, South Branch.

Place of business; South Branch, Roscommon post office.
Dated July 28th, A. D. 1909,
To Herbert Corpenning Grantee under the last recorded deed, in the regular chain of title, to said land;
Office of
Sheriff of Crawford County,
Grayling, Mich., Oct. 5. 1909.
I hereby certify and return that after careful enquiry, I am unable to ascertain the whereabouts or post-office address of Herbert Corpenning

office address of Herbert Corpenning or the heirs, or the whereabouts or postoffice address of the executor, administrator or trustee or guardian of said Herbert Corpenning.

CHAS. W. AMIDON,

Sheriff of Crawford county,
Fees \$1.10.

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To the owner or owners of any and all interest in the land herein described, and to the mortgagee or mortgagees named in all, undischarged recorded mortgages against said land or any assignee thereof of record:

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that you are entitled to a reconvey-ance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chan-cery of the county in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such pur-chase, together with one hundred per cent, additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

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Polconous Caterpillars.

Several kinds of hairy caterpillars are known to have a poisonous effect on the human skin, notably the caterpillar of the processionary moth, so called because the caterpillars march in procession after their food. The scientist Resumur found that this caterpillar's hairs caused him consider able suffering in the hands for some eyeballs, too, were inflamed. Even approaching too near the nests of these caterrillars has caused painful awellings on the necks of certain per sons, from the caterpillar hairs float and by the winds.

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Resolve, that we tender our sincer sympathy to our dear sister and re commend her to him who said, "Dless ed are they that mourn for they shall be comforted." And we further

Resolve, that a copy of these resoutions be sent to sister Maren Peterson, one kept in the minutes of the days and when he rubbed his eyes his lodge, and one sent to the Avalanche

> CARRIE PRATT EDITH AABOTT EMMA McCULLOUGH

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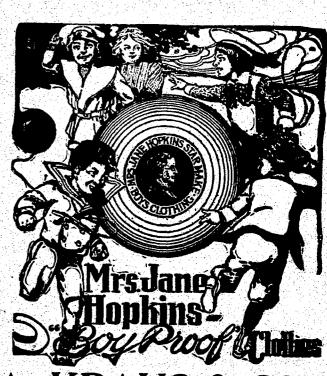
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Miss Laurel London and Mrs. S. Phelps are attending the Grand Chapter O. E. S. of Michigan, at Saginaw.

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Come one, come all. FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN-A

6 roommhouse on Railroad street. Enquire at Grayling Mercantile Com-

Ce's, and save money. Andrew Anderson left last Monday

for Los Angelos, Cal., with K. Kripke. As he leaves his family here, he will probably get back.

The W. R. C. will serve a 15 cent hall. All are cordistly invited. From 3:30 to 8 o'clock.

Miss Erna R. Ivey, teacher of vocal instrumental and harmony, is now ready to receive students. For further information call at the M. E. parsonage, main street.

The road east from the East Branch Bridge, which has been condemned for the past summer, has been thoroughly repaired by highway commissioner Peck and is now safe for friends to subscribe to our magazine

Adler Jorgenson and his son are visiting his parents in the Ozark Mountains in Arkansas. During their Address, "The Bicycle Man," absence Mrs. Jorgenson has been visiting friends in Marlette, from where she returned last Monday.

The first snow of the season fell Tuesday morning. There was not enough for sleighing but it made a came from the south, it was probably a part of the great Cuban atorm of

torse for service and comfort. Will BALMER or ANDREW MORT-ENSON, Wellington.

B, Phelps, Jr. will remove his cash ators from Ceder atreet to Peninsular prisonment in the county jail, Avenue, into the building herstefore possibled by the Central market. The difference in his location will undoub. adly add to his trade, as it will be mach more convenient to the larger mintion in the north and east part

of the village. The Glesners in Maple Porcet had adamse and hox supper Saturday sight at which all seemed to have a very good time. The busine were well wagest to have sheer ment social z je todr ogo ball.

lest Monday learning of the death of Miss Allice Culver is her rooms in the residence complet by Mr. Boobs, on Spruce eight o'clock, Mrs. Beebe knocked at and Stripes. her door and receiving no reply felt alarmed, and called a neighbor, and apparent peacefull sleep, but as she did not answere their call; they took her hand which was already chilled in death. Dr. Tominison was summoned and found the apark of life entirely

extinguished. She had attended church Sunday morning and seemed to be in usual health and spirits, and no one seemed

Brief funeral services were held at lat, 1910. This is the ideal paper for the residence of her sister Mrs. G. L. Michigan Farmers, and this trial will Alexander Thursday evening, Rev.

The deceased was born in Ithica. N. Y., and came to this state with her parents when she was two years of the history and progress of the Sun age, and spent her childhood in Mt. day School from "Robert Raikes till Clemens and Bellville, graduating now," giving historic data of the from the high school at Mt. Clemens, origin and growth of the institution St. Charles coal, the best in the With her father and the family she came to this county about thirty-four spoke eloquently of "The Sunday years ago, locating in the township of School as a training school for good Center Plains, when she came to citizenship." The function of the Grayling and has resided here for the Sunday School was clearly set forth past nineteen years. She was a char- as filling a much needed and vital ter member of the Good-fellow-shig place in the education of our youts Club, which was organized twelve for the responsibilities before them. years ago, and has served as Presistudent and scholar.

> and her brother Fred Culvor of Sagi- breifly the importance of the christian naw survive.

About fifty of the Grangers and their freinds had a very good time at Perry Ostranders Friday evening.

Plumbing work, Plumbing Goods, Bath Tubs, Lavatorys, Closets, Kitchen Sinks and Range Boilers. Show room, Cedar St. F. R. DECKROW.

SALESMEN WANTED to look afer our interest in Crawford and adjadent counties. Salary or commission. Address The VICTOR OIL COM-PANY, Cleaveland, Ohio.

J. W. Grant of Grayling has bought the John Brown house and lot on Court street, next to the John Miller proyerty, and will move his family here for residence this week.-Otse-

Wm. Fairbotham desires to find satisfactory homes for the adoption of his three children, Fern aged 3 M. & S. Loose Leaf Binder for years, Hursell 7 years and Cecil 10 Students, Sold by Central Drug Store. Years. Anyone desiring can call at the residence and see the children. oct14-3w

The fee for registration of mail will be increased from eight to ten cents after November 1, 1909, according to an order signed by Postmaster General Hitchcock today. The maximum indemnity allowed for the loss of a registered article has also been increased from \$25 to \$50 by the order.

There is an increase of seventeen million dollars in savings deposits in Michigan state banks over the highest mark prior to the 1907 panic and an M. &. S. Loose Leaf Binder for increase of nearly twenty-nine million Students. Sold by Central Drug Store, over the lowest ebb caused by the Leave your orders for Coal at S. H. panic. No state bank has failed dur the public domain commission offered ing the past year, and twenty-two the tax lands in that county for sale yield is 100 bu. per acre. new ones have been incorporated, all at the county seat court house. Unnew ones have been incorporated, all der the new law such sales will be shown by the report of the state bank- held at the county seats in the future, ing department, Sept 1.

bonds hereafter issued by any county. the lauds. township, city, village or school dislunch Thursday Oct. 14th. at G. A. R. trict within the state of Michigan, empt from all taxation." The law went into effect September 1. Auother recent law which should be noted is that which specifies that all municipalities in this state are limited in their indebtedness to 10 percent of their assessed valuation. The in debtedness means for all purposes

> including water, light and gas. lioys! Girls! Columbia Bicycle Free! Greatest offer out. Get Jour and we will make you a present of a \$40.00 Columbia Bicvele, the best made. Ask for particulars, free outfit and circular telling How to Start. East 22d Street, New York City, N. Y.

Act no. 203 of the Public Acts of 1909 places some pretty stringent re gulations upon the owners of pool and billiard rooms and other gaming man feel cold to look at it. As it places regarding the frequenting of Highway Commissioner Parsons auch places by minors. The law FOR SALE-My 5 year old bay such place, and that minors under 17 that does not belong to the towndriver. So call quick if you want a years of age who may not be students shall also be excluded. The penalty sold at resonable price. Inquire of imposed upon the proprietor for per mitting the presence of boys thus ex cluded is a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$50, or thirty days im-

> The Russian official organ in St. burg has a fine name for the newspapers. It is the Praulteistvini

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The Prosbyterian church in this shearved Rally Day at the morning service and the Sunday School hour. The auditoriam was beautifully decorated with autumn atreet. As she had not appeared at leaves, potted plants and the Stars

The morning service was not different from the usual form except in entered the room where she laid in theme which was appropriate to the occasion.

The audience, though not large was fair, and showed an encouraging increase over the ordinary service. At the Sunday School hour was nearly filled and everybody listened atten tively to the special program for the occasion.

The committee on program departed from the usual custom and secured local talent to bring to the school discusion of live up to date topics concerning the Sabbath School.

Miss Russell read a paper entitled "Back from Vacation" which was re-The paper will be stopped January body was taken to Bellville, to be laid plete with helpful hints and suggestions as to how we might make Rail Day a permanent benefit. Mr. Mahon spoke interestingly or

He was followed by Dr. Palmer who

Mrs. Fournier then read a paper or dent and Secretary of the club, being "Sunday School Literature." This reorganized as a superior literary paper deserves more than a passing glance. It would have honored Of her family, only Mrs. Alexander Sunday School Institute. It discussed element in the Sunday School libraries The Sunday School should have the best books in the highest christia sense if we would have our children religious.

The pastor then said a few words of Building from the Foundation," and introduced the needs of planting schools among the imigrants who come to our shores, to which object an offering was than made by the Sunday School.

Special music for the occasion was rendered by the primary department and a duet by Misses Barlow and Bessie McCullough.

The musical part of the program consisting of our national hymns and patriotic songs appropriate to the day was well rendered under the charge of Mrs. Michelson and Miss Keltey. J. H. F.

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Chicken Pie!

The Lady Foresters of Companion court 652, will give a Chicken Pie supper from 5 to 8 p. m., at the G. A R. hall, Tuesday, Oct. 19th.

The first sale of state tax lands ever held away from the capital was held last week at Muskegou, when crop is not all that is desired, their the purpose being to give residents of One of the new laws says: "All the county an opportunity to bid for

Lovelis Locals.

C. W. Ward gave \$100 as a starter towards building the highway from the M. C. R. R. north to his residence C. F. Underhill was at Grayling

Mrs. Eastman of Grayling is the

cook at the Ward house.

Mr Boutell was in town Monday Mr. Macumber was calling on C. W. Ward, Tuesday.

Register R. W. Brink was calling a C. F. Underhills, Tuesday. Mrs. Clark Simmons, who has been making an extended visit at the Carrier house, left Thursday for her

home at Battle Creek. Mr. Brown of Queens Garden, N. Y was the guest of C. W. Ward, Wed nesday.

commenced taking out the atumps farm laborers in the country. But states that no minor who is a student and rubbish for the road Thursday, the per capita amount is growing and in any school, college or other institutian of learning shall be allowed in the right of war, and not clear land

> T. D. Douglas is building a tool house 26 by 48. Mo an empty house in itown. If

es there would be tenante in them as oon as completed.

to spend the winter

town with his auto Tuesday evening. There were three others with him We were not able to recognize them the limit for this city. Don't forget it.

Mr. W. E. Book has taken the place thut Charles Elecan held.

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Preaching service at 7:30 p m .-

All are cordinly invited to attend

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Failing, Supt.

these services.

Sunday, Oct. 17, 1909

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The Douglas Company's potato foreman, Mr. Banner, states that the

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The Prosperity Farmer.

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were worth the day before. It is a good thing for the people at large that the farmers are getting their share of the general increase in wealth. The eight billion dollars that they get each year amounts to only seven hundred apiece when it is distributed over all the farmers and

During the next twenty years we are going to see a great revolution in farming. Agriculture is to be more intelligent and more intense, new plants are to be introduced, a hetter man is to be made of the land, and an it se thurs as some control tile store with produce blind blace encemon new production should not be mono-Attorney Patterson of Pontian was polized by railroads, elevator comguest of C. W. Ward. Webnesday, panies and harvests trusts. It should Ray Owen started for southern Cal-and it should show itself in better ifornia Wednesday, where he expects food, clothing and housing and in more wide-apread education for the M. Hanson of Grayling passed thru great mass of us.

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To the owner or owners of any and

Arenac County, Second Mondays in March, June. September and December.

Crawford County, Second Mondays in January, April, July and October.

Gladwin County, First Mondays in March, June, September and December.

Ogemaw County, Third Mondays in January, April, July and October.

Otsego County, Third Mondays in January, April, July and Fourth Mondays in January, April, July and Fourth Mondays in January, April, July and October.

Roscommon County, First Mondays in January, April, July and October.

And I do hereby order, and direct that the layer of the county in which the lands lie of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cert. that no jury be summoned to appear at such June and July terms of court unless otherwise ordered.

Dated, West Branch, this 28th day of September, 1909.

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in the land herein described, and to the mortgagee or mortgages against said land or any assignee thereof of record:

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SUMMARY OF THE

MOST IMPORTANT NEWS. Sunday.

President Taft preached on self-restraint at Fresno. Cal. Trains were late to an aviation mee mear Paris, and a mob of 150,000

smashed railroad property. The State Department has taken up with the Greek government the mortgaging of immigrants' property to se-

cure steamship tickets. Litigation is threatened as the result of disciplining of Mrs. Augusta E. Statson and sixteen practitioners by

Christian Science officials in Boston. After Charles R. Crane, recalled minister to China, had a long conference with Secretary of State Knox. it was

learned he will sail for Chirla Oct. 20 Miss Maud Heufnagle found the body of her slain father, Charles Heufnagle, a wealthy farmer, in a cornfield near Washington, Pa.; she mistook the body for a scarecrow and fainted be

Proof that two men are profiting more than \$100,000 each annually through a gigantic vice conspiracy enduring for years in the South Side territory of Chicago in Police Inspect-or Wheeler's district, has been placed in the hands of State's Attorney Way

Monday.

Charles R. Crane, the newly ap-pointed minister to China, was recalled to Washington on the eve of his departure.

Wilbur Wright made a sensational flight of twenty-one miles from Gover-nor's island over the Hudson River, making an average speed of thirty-seven miles an hour despite an ugly

Tuesday.

Advices from Washington were that Charles R. Crane, minister to China, was halted on the eve of his departure for Peking for a consultation with Secretary Knox on the growing delicacy of relations between China and

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals in Chicago affirmed the judg-ment of the lower court in the case of John R. Walsh, who must go to prison for four years unless granted a re hearing or the United States Court will consider the case.

Wednesday. William R. Hearst was again nominated for mayor of New York by his followers in the Independence League.

Walsh note guarantors and banks ended negotiations for peaceful settle ment in Chicago and prepared for a fight.

of Mrs. Katherine Clemmons Gould was signed. She was awarded \$3,000 a month.

The formal divorce decree in favo

Minister Crane was recalled t Washington before starting for China to receive a hint to be more careful in what he says.

Thursday.

Gaynor accepted the Democratic nomination for Mayor of New York in a mild speech.

Friends of James M. Barrle, author and playwright, who is suing for divorce, said that he will wed Pauline Chase, actress, if he wins a decree.

A Washington correspondent wrot that the required thirty-one States have spoken through their legisla tures in favor of an amendment to the Federal Constitution providing for the election of Senators by direct vote Friday.

Railroads of the country are now forcing a freight car shortage,

President Taft visited the big tree groves of California and slept on a mountain top.

the Civic League nomination in th New York mayoralty race.

Dr. Frederick A. Cook was heard by 10,000 at the Coliseum in Chicago after a wild welcome as he and Mrs. of the cities, New Haven going Repub-Cook left their special train at the Polk street depot.

Senator Cullom, Lieutenant Gover nor Oglesby of Illinois and others de clare that Congress should obey the call of the thirty-one States and pro vide for an amendment to the Constitution to allow for the election of Senators by direct vote.

Saturday.

The fortune left by Giovanni P. Mo losini fell short of expectations and his daughter will be compelled to cut per \$30,000 yearly dress allowance.

Boston has a prodigy in the perso of William J. Sidis, who enters Harvard at the age of 11 as a scientist and mathematician, and who did a four years' high school course in five

The Hudson-Fulton celebration end ad in a blaze of glory from forty bea cons, costing \$1,000 each.

The budget crisis in England took more serious turn since Premier As juith rejected King Edward's plan to lissoive Parliament in January in the event of the lords passing the bill.

David Lloyd-George, England's chantellor of the exchequer, in a speech at of Charles City, Iowa, were found un-Newcastle, warned the lords that if conscious in their room with gas flowthey interfere with the money bill they will have a revolution on hand.

BRIEF NEWS ITEMS

Francis Roach, 15 years old, of Mill-bury, Mass., was shot and killed by William F. Nardi, 20 years old, while playing "Wild West" near Sutton,

Julius C. Hearst. Republican nomi nee for judge in Breathitt County, Kentucky, was fatally shot by his brother, Hannibal Hearst. The slayer pleaded self-defense.

Jack Edwin and Perry Mitchell of Hornbeck, La., were arrested, charged with killing Charles F. McGee, town marshal of Hornbook and deputy sher iff of Vernon Parish.

GREAT EVANGELICAL MEETINGS Gypsy Smith Is Conducting Immens Mevivals in Chicago.

Attended by one of the biggest and

most remarkable religious demonstrations ever held in Chicago, Gyps; Smith formally opened his evangelistic campaign at the Seventh Regiment Armory in Chicago Sunday night. Long before the service was scheduled to begin the great auditorium, which has a scating capacity of 8,000, was packed. Every seat was occupied and every inch of standing room available was taken. While the gypsy evangelist preached to the great crowd inside 5,000 persons, unable to gain admit-tance, gathered in the street in front of the armory, blocking traffic on the Wentworth avenue car line for nearly

bymns. The entrance of Gypsy Smith was the signal for one of the most enthu slastic demonstrations probably ever made at a religious meeting. Men applauded and cheered, while women stood up in their seats waving handkerchiefs, making a rolling sea of white over the heads of the audience. To quote one of the ministers present Gypsy Smith "gave it to his audienc straight from the shoulder." And when he had finished an estimated number of 200 persons had signified their desire either to become converted or to become "better Christians" and left their seats in the audience to meet the evangelist in a room set sside for the purpose. The meetings are advertised to continue for four

an hour while they prayed and sang

MISS CLEMENS WEDS PLANIST.

Daughter of Mark Twain Married to Ossip Gabrilowitsch.

Miss Clara L. Clemens, daughter of Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), was married at noon Wednesday to Ossip Gabrilowitsch, the Russian planist. The wedding took place in the drawing room at "Stormfield." Mr. Clemens' country home near West Redding, Conn., with the Rev. Dr. Joseph H. Twitchell, of Hartford, as officiating clergyman. The bride was attended only by her sister, Miss Jean Clemens. While the ceremony was being performed Mr. Clomens was attired in a scarlet cap and gown which ne wore when the degree of doctor of literature was conferred upon him by Oxford University. After the wedding he' wore a white flannel suit. Forty guests from New York City were pres ent, and attended a wedding breakfast which followed the marriage. After remaining in New York about a week, the bridal couple will go to Berlin, where Mr. Gabrilowitsch has taken a house. Later Mr. Gabrilowitsch will make a tour of Germany in concerts

MANY PRAIRIE DOGS DIE.

More than 750,000 Killed by Gov ernment Polsoner in Southwest. More than 750,000 prairie dogs have seen killed in the last eight months by J. W. Holman, the recognized government poisoner of the pests in the Southwestern States. Mr. Holman has been in Kansas City to obtain a new supply of strychnine and will start on

second expedition within a few days. "I shall kill at least 1,500,000 dogs in the next eight months," said he. 'The prairie dogs are a pest in the Southwest, and especially in Texas. They are destroying pasture land and their burrows make it dangerous for horsemen. They cannot be trapped or shot, but it is easy to poison them by placing strychnine on wheat, which they eat readily." Under Mr. Holman's direction strychnine is mixed with wheat and about a teaspoonful is placed at the entrance of a prairie dog hole. Each teaspoonful kills three animals. The government pays Holman 11/2 cents a head for destroying the dogs.

DRYS LOSE IN CONNECTICUT.

Defeated in Fully a Dozen Town In 162 of the 168 cities and towns of Connecticut the annual elections were held Monday. The chief fight made mountain top.

William Randolph Hearst accepted The Prohibitionists lost. Last year they won ninety-seven towns. They were defeated in fully a dozen of the ninety-seven Monday, the largest being Winsted. Elections were held in five lican by about 500 votes. Frank Joyce defeating James B. Martin, the Demo eratic Mayor, by a small margin. Waterbury also returned to the Republic can column after five years' absence In the general elections about 110 owns chose Republican officials against 120 а уеаг адо.

HOLD MAN FOR CAIN'S CRIME

Relative of Farmer Who Was Slain in Bed Is Arrested.

Ben H. Murrow was placed under arrest at Des Moines, Iows, upon a warrant issued by Coroner Iven New len, holding him to the grand jury for the murder of his brother, Charles E. Murrow, at the Ben Murrow farm, of Des Moines, early Wednesday morning. All night the coroner's jury worked on the case. Murrow was shot through the temple as he lay in bed in the Ben Murrow home. It was given out that he had been shot by

Suicide Plot Charged

Two men who registered at the Lin coln Hotel in Jersey City as William H. Gill of Louisville and Ray Howell ing from an open jet. The police charged them with attempting to commit suicide.

Ten Hurt in \$50,000 Fire,

Ten firemen were injured, many families driven from their homes, and a property loss of \$50,000 was caused flames which destroyed the plant of the Nollau & Wolf Manufacturing Company, 1705 to 1719 Fullerton ave

Lives Lost in Nashville Fire. Several lives were lost by a fire that consumed a building at 8th avenue and Jefferson street, Nashville, Tenn. Three hodies have been taken from the ruins and it is feared others are still buried.

CLEVELAND IS GIVEN THREE-CENT CAR FARE

Company and City Finally Settle Problem That Has Caused Political Turmoli Many Years.

JOHNSON WINS A LONG FIGHT

City May Purchase Lines Wheneve Municipal Ownership Is Made Lawful.

A conference was held Tuesday to arrange final details which will result in an absolute settlement of the Cleve land street railway difficulty which has been bitterly agitated for eight During the life of the contro versy it has been a political issue at all times. Partial settlements have been made and many proposed, but all failed of their object. Now peace is

assured. The basis of the strike has Mayor Tom L. Johnson's contention for a 3-cent fare. The proposed settlement will be on this rate of fare, and will eliminate the street car question from the fall campaign.

Twenty-five Year Franchise.

All the main points have been set tled. It is agreed that the city shall give the Cleveland Railway Company, the owner of the local lines, a twenty five-year franchise, revokable at any time any of the details of the contract with the city is violated. The city reserves the right to purchase the lines at any time municipal ownership is made lawful, providing the city desires to take over the lines. The city also reserves the right to name a purchaser of the lines after eight years. The initial rate of fare is to be 3 cents on all lines, with a 1-cent extra charge for a transfer.

Both the city, and the railway company have agreed to let Judge Robert W. Tayler of the United States Court determine the value of the railway property and the maximum rate of fare. It is agreed that at no time shall the rate of fare be greater than will allow the company an earning power of more than 6 per cent on the value of the property, consistent with good service. Judg Tayler has indicated that he will make the maximum rate of fare 4 cents for a cash fare and the regular ticket rate seven tick ets for 25 cents and a cent extra for transfers. This proposition has been accepted both by the city and the railway company.

WILL INCREASE ARMY CADETS.

President Wants More Appointed t

West Point-Not Enough Officers. Less than 39 per cent of the whole number of officers in the United States army are graduates of the West Point military academy, and each graduating class is about eighty short of the number necessary to officer the army

The President and the Secretary o War plan to urge Congress to increase by 125 the number of cadets to be sent to the academy and to have them appointed every three years, instead of every four years, as at present. The present strength of the corps of cadets at West Point was established many years ago, when the army con-sisted of only 25,000 men. In 1901 the army was increased to its present strength of 80,000 men and 4,500 off-About the same time Congres authorized a project for enlarging the plant at the military academy and has appropriated altogether about \$6,500. 000 for the construction of new buildings and the enlargement of existing ones. Col. Scott says, that by next spring the improvements will have been advanced sufficiently to accommo date 750 cadets.

Heavy Registration for Cheyenne and Standing Rock Reservations. Registration for the government lands in the Cheyenne River and Standing Rock reservation of the Da kotas began with a rush at midnight Monday, and within an hour thereafte 1,800 persons had registered at the six registration centers. Land-seekers are there from all over the United States, from New York to California Mrs. Josephine Reed, of Wabasha Minn., was the first of the 561 to reg

ister in Aberdeen. Judge Witten, who is in charge of the registration, has completed arrangements for handling fully 100,000 persons in Aberdee alone. Registration began also at Bis marck, N. D., Lemmon, S. D., and Le Beau. S. D.

DUDLEY BUCK DIES, AGED 70.

famous Organist and Composer Just Home from Europe

Dudley Buck, organist and compos er, died Wednesday at the home of his son in West Orange, N. J. He had just returned from a two years' absence n Europe. Mr. Buck was 70 years old. He was born in Hartford and was ed ncated at Leipsig Conservatory. He composed the cantata sung by 800 olces at the opening of the centennial in Philadelphia and became famed as a composer of sacred music. He was organist at the Church of the Trinity and retired from all excent theoretical work and composition

WOMAN IS SLAIN WITH HATCHET

Boy Returning from School Finds

His Mother's Body. A coroner's jury is investigating the brutal murder of Mrs. Cyrus E. Ben ton, of Liberty, N. Y., whose head was split open apparently with a hatchet. On returning from school at the noon recess her young son, Horace, found his mother dead in an upper hallway With a shrick the boy fell fainting over his mother's body. Neighbors found the woman's husband at work in the stable. He was arrested.

Trains in Head-On Collision at Parnell City- Victims Delegates to Sunday School Convention.

HURT IN I. C. WRECK.

ONE RILLED AND TWO SCORE

One person killed and two score inured, many probably fatally, is the reported result of a head-end collision between passenger trains on the Illinois Central at Parnell, Ill. Almost all the victims, including the dead, were delegates to a Sunday school convention held at Farmer City, Ili. A few were visitors returning from

the State fair at Springfield. Parnell is about six miles south of Farmer City. It is a way station, without a train dispatcher or any tele-graph connection. The first word was received at Clinton, a hand car bayng been used to reach the telegraph office nearest the scene, from which the news was wired. A relief train with every available physician in Clinton started for the wreck, equipped for the relief of the injured. More than an hour was required for the run to Parnell and meanwhile the injured continued without aid save such as was afforded in a town of few inhabitants. According to the reports both trains were making at least car of forty miles an hour. Every co heavier train suffered less, but the baggage and smoking car telescoped.



Liveria easily won the Willow han

dicap at Gravesend, N. Y. Horsemen are much interested in the fact that Dan Patch does not seem to recover from his recent lameness. Livonia, an added starter, won th Great Eastern handlenn at Sheenshead Bay, N. Y. The stake is valued at

Emilio Lunghi, an Italian boy, low ered the world's half-mile running rec-ord in the recent Canadian champion-ship held in Montreal.

In a very close and exciting race a Sheepshead Bay, N. Y., Jack Atkin, a favorite, won the Flight Stakes, valued nt \$1,500, seven furlongs. Barney Oldfield, the reckless aut

driver, set a new record at Lowell. Mass, when he made a mile in 51 1-5 seconds with a standing start. In Pennsylvania, Sureno, 2:081/2, the guideless trotter, established a record for the Point Breeze track by trotting

in exhibition mile alone in 2:13%. Mike (Twin) Sullivan, of Cambridge Mass, had an easy victory over Terry Martin, of Philadelphia, in a twelveround bout at the Armory Association

James H. Campbell, a well known horseman, was stricken with acute indigestion while driving in a trotting race at Yonkers, N. Y. He fell from his sulky and dled while being taken to the hospital. At Sloux City, Iowa, Dan Patch

proved the falseness of the report that his racing days were over. In an exhibition with Minor Heir he paced a mile in 2:10½, in the teeth of a veritable gale and over a bumpy track.

Yale foot ball officials, fearing that Harvard and Princeton, by reporting one or two weeks ahead, got the jump on the Blues, are advocating both

morning and evening practice. The Harvester, Ed Geer's unbeater 1-year-old stallion, at the opening of the Grand Circuit meeting at Syracuse, N. Y., castly won the Chamber of Commerce, a \$2,000 stage for 2:09 trotters

in straight heats.

McMahon's speedy little mare, Sanoma Girl, which came out of the West two years ago, won the 2:08 trot at the Wisconsin State Fair at Milwaukee. She took three straight heats, jury.

HARD WINTER, SAYS SEER.

Watches Weather at Equinox and Forecasts Three Mouths. Coming out at least two months ahead of the usual crop of weather

prognosticators, goosebone prophets and others, John T. Roberts, of Darby, Pa.. who declares he never made a mistake in forefelling the weather for the last forty-two years, makes the un-pleasant assertion that a winter of unusual severity is ahead of us. He "I predicted that last winter says: would be mild with an early spring, despite the fact that the goosebone prophet of Reading declared a big blizzard was booked for around Jan. 15 or 20. with February unusually cold. I take my observations on the first three days of the fall equinox. Sept. 20, 21 and 22, and base my calculations on the direction of the wind for these three days. The first day, Sept. 20. gives us the weather for the first winter month. December: the second, the weather for Junnary, and the third day for February "

GIRL WORKS 3 YEARS AS BOY.

leveland Young Woman Employed Livery Stable and by Grocer. After masquerading as a boy for hree years, playing boys' games, working in a livery stable, driving a grocer's team and handling heavy boxes and express packages, "Harry Roberts" has confessed to the Cleveland police "he" is Lillian Hoffman, stepdaughter of Gottlieb Melers. In 1906 the girl. then only 17, became tired of her clothing and went into the world to lothes. The parent ascribes the child' conduct to a love for horses.

2,000 IN MOB STORM JAIL.

ed by Girl. Demand Release Montana Industrial Workers. Headed by Elizabeth Gurley Flynn an organizer of the Industrial Workers of the World, a crowd of 2,000 threatened the Missoula county jail in Missouls Mont. demanding the lease of twenty-five members of the order arrested while conducting demonstration on the streets. An unexpected show of strength on the part of the police and the deputies of the sheriff prevented any trouble. Inflammatory speeches were made in the jail yard and from the very steps of the prison. Gurley Flynn was discharged from the police court. She contends she will fill the jails of the county to overflowing with I. W. W. men.

ASSASSINS TRY TO KILL CZAR.

Plot Is Discovered in Palace Which Workmen Repair for Ruler,

The St. Petersburg correspondent of the London Standard, who says the winter palace of the Czar is undergo-ing repairs and being put in readiness for his return, reports that a plot against the Czar's life has been discovered among the workers engaged in the nalace. The eldest son of a court joiner named Michaeloff has been arrested, and many compromising does ments in relation to the plot are said to have been discovered.

Returning home after an absence o three months, Robert Foster of St. shot his wife and slashed his throat with a knife. Foster died an hour later. The bullet fired at Mrs Foster was deflected by a corset steel.

Shoots Wife, Kills Himself.

Postmaster Alleged Embessier An indictment charging embezzlement of post office funds was returned against John B. Strobel, postmaster at Ironton, O., by the federal grand

She probably will recover.

TORTURE BANKER'S WIFE.

CONAN

Masked Men Suspend Woman from a Rafter in Woodshed.

Posses are bunting the assailants of Mrs. W. B. Scott, wife of a banker, of Lansing, Mich., found in the woodshed of her home Sunday, gagged and suspended by the wrists from a rafter so her toes just touched the floor. The woman had been attacked by two masked men and had been tied up for four hours before her husband and a neighbor found her. She was utterly exhausted when cut down and has suffered severely from the shock. According to the story told the

police, Mrs. Scott, hearing a noise, entered the woodshed in her night clothes just after the men had opened the door and stepped into the shadows. They seized her and threw her to the floor. After procuring a clothes line from the yard they bound and gagged her and hung her to the rafter. They then entered the house and searched for money, but found none. Mrs. Scott says the men were masked, but one of them resembled a man who called at her house Friday and represented himself to be a detective. The house was for sale and on the pretext that he was looking for a house to buy he was shown through.

HEARST NAMED FOR MAYORALTY

Independence League Renominates New Yorker Despite His Refusal. William Randolph Hearst, once defeated for mayor of New York City by George B. McClellan, and later beaten nome. She ran away, donned boy's by Charles E. Hughes for Governor, was nominated for mayor at a mass work as a man. Her identity became meeting of 4,000 of his admirers at known a short time ago, when she was arrested while employed by D. Martin, a grocer, on a minor charge. Now that he would not be a candidate. Resa grocer, on a minor charge. Now that he would not be a candidate. Resher stepfather has brought her girl's olutions were adopted directing that a committee of five be appointed to take steps for the naming of an entire city, county, and borough ticket, which will be placed in nomination by petition.

SCHOOLS OLLEGES

The new compulsory education law of Minnesota is strict and parents who ignore its provisions are liable to fine or imprisonment.

A deficit of \$25,000 to \$40,000. been discovered in the Methodist centenary endowment fund of Allegheny College, Meadville, Pa.

University of Minnesota bids fair to surpass that of any previous year in the history of the institution. Booker T. Washington in a recent address dealt entirely on the subject of

This year's registration at the State

the negro and his future. He said the sole salvation of the negro lay in practical education. Commander Peary, in his report his journey to the north pole, tells of the death by drowning of Prof. Ross G. Marvin, of Cornell University, who was a member of the expedition. He was

drowned April 10. At Iowa City, Iowa, occurred the death from typhoid fever of Prof. H. E. Gordon, one of the founders of the de-bating league of the Middle West uni-versities, including Illinois, Nebraska. Iowa, Wisconsin and Minnesota, He

was 54 years of age.

Mrs. Peter Larson, widow of a once prominent contractor, banker, lumber king and mining man of Helena, an-nounces that the high school graduate in Montana who passes the best examination is to be given a four-year scholarship at Trinity College, Wash-

ington.

Ku Chi Li, the son of a distinguished Oriental, is a student at Harvard who is preparing for consular service. To Ku Chi Li belongs the distinction of being the first Chinese student at Harvard to enter athletics. toined the track squad and is being urged by the conches to go out for foot

CHICAGO.

The Weekly Review of Chicago Trade, compiled by R. G. Dun & Co., says: Operations in the leading activities have become so expanded it is not surprising that the volume of payments through the banks are now seen to be averaging almost \$50,000,000 each business day. Conditions generally exhibit remarkable strength throughout the leading industries and there is no exhaustion in the commitments adding to the assured accumulation of forward work in manufacturing. Increasing demands for money and more extended movements of breadstuffs, provisions, factory outputs, raw materials and general merchandise emphasize the underlying strength and confidence felt in the future.

Fail transactions make a notable comparison with the best previous years in production and distribution. Lake traffic includes tonnages reaching new records, while the carnings of Chicago steam roads also furnish favorable comparisons. Despite the installation of new equipment it is found more difficult to obtain an adequate car service in the central West, and reports indicate that deliveries of leavy materials fall behind the dates promised, owing to the unexpected demands upon available facilities. Transactions in the wholesale branches of staple merchandise present more nu-merous reservations for distant needs. Bank clearings, \$293,915,369, exceed nose of the corresponding week in 1908 by 23.8 per cent, and compare \$249,645,775 in 1907.

Fallures reported in the Chicago district number 24, against 29 last week, 25 in 1908, and 24 in 1907. Those with liabilities over \$5,000 number 7, against 11 last week, 5 in 1908, and 9 in 1907.

NEW YORK. Favorable reports are the rule in

nearly all lines of trade and industry, with conservatism, bred by high prices of raw and manufactured products. and full order books of manufacturers the only apparent bars to an even wider distribution in most wholesale lines. Wholesale trade in staple lines s good beyond question, even the South, which faces a short yield of cotton, showing a better and more cheerful tone because of the high price offered for its leading staple at a peried of nearly record crop movement. On the other hand, cotton manufacturers here, at the South and abroad are discussing curtailment of output in an effort to readjust prices of goods. which are strong and tending upward to the advanced cost of the raw material, which is 50 per cent higher than year ago. Shortages of cars in special lines are more in evidence in transportation than for two years past.

Business failures in the States for the week ending with Oct. 7 were 203, against 195 last week, 256 in the like week of 1908, 192 in 1907. 192 in 1906 and 183 in 1905.

Business failures in Canada for the week number 36, as compared with 22 last week and 31 last year.—Brad-

Chicago-Cattle, common to prime. \$4.00 to \$8.80; hogs, prime heavy, \$4.50 to \$8.05; sheep, fair to choice, \$4.25 to \$5.25; wheat, No. 2, \$1.16 to \$1.18; corn. No. 2, 59c to 60c; oats, standard, 37c to 38c; rye, No. 2, 70c to 73c; hay, timothy, \$8.00 to \$15.00; prairie, \$8.00 to \$11.00; butter, choice creamery, 25c to 29c; eggs, fresh, 18c to 24c; potatoes per bushel, 40c to 50c.

Indianapolis-Cattle, shipping. \$3.00 to \$7,50; hogs, good to choice heavy, \$3.50 to \$8.30; sheep, good to choice, \$2.50 to \$5.00; wheat, No. 2, \$1.12 to \$1.15; corn, No. 2 white, 65c to 66c: oats, No. 2 white, 3%c to 39c. St. Louis-Cattle, \$4.00 to \$7.75;

hogs, \$4.00 to \$7.75; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.75; wheat, No. 2, \$1.20 to \$1.21; corn, No. 2, 58c to 60c; oats, No. 2, 38c to 39c; rye No. 2, 70c to 72c. Detroit—Cattle, \$4.00 to \$5.50; hogs, \$4.00 to \$5.00; sheep, \$2.50 to \$4.50;

rheat, No. 2. \$1.17 to \$1.19; corn. No. 2 yellow, 63c to 64c; onts, standard, 40c to 42c; rye, No. 1, 73c to 74c. Milwaukee-Wheat, No. 2 northern. \$1.02 to \$1.04; corn. No. 3, 57c to 58c;

onts, standard, 39c to 40c; rye, No. 1. 72c to 73c; barley, standard, 65c to 66c; pork, mess, \$24.20. Buffalo - Cattle, choice shipping steers, \$4.00 to \$7.00; hogs, fair to

choice, \$4.00 to \$8.20; sheep, common to good mixed, \$4.00 to \$5.50; lambs. fair to choice, \$4.00 to \$7.75. Cincinnati-Cattle, \$4.00 to \$6.25; hogs, \$4,00 to \$7.90; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.25; wheat, No. 2, \$1.19 to \$1.22;

corn, No. 2 mixed, 61c to 62c; No. 2 mixed, 40c to 41c; rye, No. 2. 77c to 78c. New York-Cattle, \$4.00 to \$7.00; hogs, \$4.00 to \$8.40; sheep, \$3.00 to \$4.50; wheat, No. 2 red, \$1.17 to \$1.18; corn. No. 2, 68e to 69c; oats, natural

white, 42c to 45c; butter, creamery. 27c to 31c; eggs, western, 24c to 26c. Toledo-Wheat, No. 2 mixed, \$1.17 to \$1.19; corn, No. 2 mixed, 60c to 61c; oats, No. 2 mixed, 40c to 41c;

rye, No. 2, 73c to 75c; clover seed, \$9.10. At the international dry-farming congress at Billings, Mont., Oct. 26-28, prominent men from European coun-tries and Canada, as well as the Uni-ted States, will take part.

Mics Blanche Lord, 40 years of age. a resident of Minneapolis, was instanty killed on the White Bear road, when her automobile was ditched in tering to avoid a farmer's vagon.

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MICHIGAN'S BEAN CHOP.

Estimated That Yield This Year Will Boath of Joseph Murphy Brings to Nearly Double That of 1808. Instead of being a half-failure, as was predicted following the recent sc-were frosts, Michigan's bean crop this year will be one of the greatest and most valuable on record. As against a yield of only 3,500,000 bushels last year, it will exceed 6,000,000 bushels this year. The acreage last was approximately 350,000, while this year there were unwards of 140,000 acres of land in the State laden with beans to harvest, or a 25 per cent larger acreage. This is the estimate placed on Michigan's 1909 crop by Hen-ry W. Carr, head of one of the largest grain commission houses in the State, following his trip with the manufacturers' and wholesalers' trade excursion. With beans selling at from \$1.75 to \$1.90 a bushel and a yield of 6,000,the Michigan farmers may be appre-

BUILDING \$30,000 FRAT HOUSE.

Ann Arbor Theta Delta Chia Soon to Occupy New Home.

Another fraternity house is being erected in Ann Arbor and will be ready for occupancy in November. The Theta Delta Chi is the fraternity for which the house is being erected at a cost of \$30,000. The first floor is devoted to large double living and lounging rooms on the north side, fitted with open fire places and build-in couches and book cases. In the southwest corner is the library, back of which is a large diningroom. At the rear of the diningroom are the serving-rooms, pantries, kitchens and cold storage rooms. The second and third floors are arranged for studios and sleeping-rooms, there being twenty-two

ENORMOUS SUGAR BEET CROP.

Michigan Developing Big Money Producer and Increasing Acresge.
The indications are that the greatest yield of sugar beets ever harvested in Michigan is going to be pulled when the work of extracting them from the ground commences this month. Sugar beet fields never looked so fine in the Thumb as this year, and thousands of acres are planted in that portion of the sugar district. The acreage this year is larger than ever before, so that with the fine prospect for large beets of high sugar content it is believed that the value of the crop

UNIVERSITY HEAD IS APPROVED Harry Hatchian Formally Made Act-

will, when turned into sugar, pass the

ing President at Ann Arbor. The regents of the University of \$7,000 a year. Professor George L. Clarke, professor of law at the University of Chicago, was appointed to the same position on Michigan's law faculty at a salary of \$3,500. The resignation of Professor George Rebec accepted and Dr. Carl Tower of the University of Vermont appointed to his place. Professor Rebec was junior professor of philosophy.

786 PHONE COMPANIES.

They Are Doing Business in Michi-

Through the State Tax Commission. which is having a herculean job these days appraising the State telephone companies on the new ad valorem basis, it became known that there are a total of 786 telephone companies do let one leg and could not gereng number ing business in Michigan. Only 124 days in the Datroit house of corrections. companies had previously reported to the State Auditor General annually. Between 500 and 600 of the total num ber of companies do not have receipts exceeding \$500 a year.

Anther Buys Summer Home. Meredith Nicholson, author of "The House of a Thousand Candles," has purchased the summer residence of T. Stewart White of Grand Rapids, on Macking Island, for \$7,000. In this house another distinguished author, Edward Stewart White spent his boy hood days. It is built on a bluff on the west end of the island.

four New Y. M. C. A. Bulldings. There will be four new Y. M. C. A. buildings erected in Michigan within the next year, according to John Van Dis of Kalamazoo, who is State Secretary of the boys' department of the cattle even while the frost was on the Y. M. C. A. The new buildings will be at Menominee. Escanaba, Ironwood and Marquette.

Big Freighter in Launched. The new packago freighter North Line, was successfuly launched at St. Clair. E. W. Lloyd, of Buffalo, christened the boat, which is 370 feet long and 46 feet beam.

The Grand Rapids & Indiana railway is figuring on a new line between Grand Rapids and Kalamazoo, to be used almost exclusively for heavy freight traffic.

Boy Breaks Arm Five Times. Forbidden by his parents to play football after he had broken his left old William Eminger of Grand Rapid found that he could not even watch the game with safety to his deliente He was a spectator on the the team in a scrimmage fell over his Best Hastings, slipped and fell under chair. Eminger's arm was broken the wheels, which passed over his chest when one of the players landed on top Douth was instantaneous. The wagon of him. This makes the fifth time the gran has been broken.

UNVEILS LIFE TRAGEDY.

Light Old Crime in Ireland From mouth to mouth to-day the story of the life of Joseph Murphy, of Neguunce, as he was known through out the north woods, is being told Through his death the lips of Murphy's only confidente have been unscaled and the man's mysterious story revealed. Murphy's true name was Fitzgerald and his parents were wealthy Irish landholders. He killed his sister's betrayer, an Irish lord and classmate, and fleeing to America he sought solitude in the United States army in Texas and then came to the north woods, where for twenty years his story and identity has been kept a secret. Born in Killarney, Ireland, Fitzgerald was given a good education and entered Dublin University to fit himself for the law. In his final year at that'school his sister was betrayed and her death followed. The shock killed her mother and at her death Fitzgerald and a younger brother yowed they would kill the betrayer of their sister. The killing of Lord Bras sey in Dublin followed. Fitzgerald was rescued from fail by a powerful Irish society and spirited away to Paris.

ALL OVER THE STATE

Mrs. Agnes M. Wahr, one of the oldest residents of Ann Arbor, is dead after a long illness.

Joseph H. Miller, president of the Amsterdam Diamond Company, was arrested at Detroit charged with using the mails for a lottery scheme.

Two workmen were injured, one probably fatally, in the collapse of s scaffold on which they were working at the factory of the Central Paper Company in Muskegon.

Dr. Alfred M. Webster, secretary of the New Era Life Insurance Association, was found dead on the floor of his offices in Grand Rapids. He had shot himself in the head.

Gilmore Smith, aged 17 years, of South Park was arrested, charged with breaking his apprenticeship with the Draper Manufacturing Company of South Park. He pleaded not guilty This is the first case of the kind known there for a long time.

A piston rod on the engine at the mills of the Kalamazoo Paper Company broke and with its force from a speed of seventy revolutions a minute, carried with it through a 12-inch brick wall the head of the steam chest, as the result of which Albert Preston is fatally injured and George Weymer is seriously injured.

The University of Michigan opened the other day in all departments. The advance registration of students showed an increase of 356 in the literary department compared with the open-Michigan have approved the ap ing day last year. All other depart-pointment of Dean Harry Hutchins as ments show a slight increase except acting president and fixed his salary at the department of pharmacy, in which there was a falling off in attendance.

Frank A. Bush, prominent in social and business life in Kalamazoo, died after an illness of six months, due to hardening of the liver. Mr. Bush was son of the late Frederick Bush, one of the leading citizens of that section of the State a quarter of a century ago. He was 51 years of age and until two years ago was actively identified with a number of manufacturing institutions there.

Claude Fall, aged 25, unmarried, a Michigan Central section man, got on train at Owosso to go to his home in Chesaning. He was drunk and abusive. Conductor W. D. Loomis tried in vain to stop his profanity. At Chesaning Fall attacked Loomis, who has but one leg and could not defend himtion without a chance to pay a fine.

Mrs. Andrew E. McAdoo and her son, A. E. McAdoo, were killed by a train at the Cross street crossing in Ypsilanti, while Mr. McAdoo was driving his mother to the station, where she expected to take a train for De troit. Mr. McAdoo did not see the train because the railroad crosses the street at a slight angle and buildings shut off the view. Mrs. McAdoo was 76 years old and her son 45 and unmarried.

After three hours' deliberation Circuit Court jury in Battle Creek proounced J. W. Loomis of Marshall, guilty of mistreating his juvenile helper, Ernest Holnagi, 12 years old. It was charged that among other hard ships young Holnagi was required to go into the meadows barefooted after ground. The specific cruelty, however was that Loomis whipped the boy with a board with nails on it.

Coral Benjamin, 24 years old, hanged himself in his father's barn two miles south of Carson City. Poor health following treatment for appen dicitis is thought to have been the cause.

William O. Sutton, aged 18 years who is under arrest in Lansing for setting fire to a shed and causing r loss of \$1,500, is said to have con fessed to the police that he set about twenty fires in New York State "ius to see them burn."

Albert Tate, 14 years old, of Oscoda treed a wild cat in a swamp directly back of his home, which lies on the outskir's of the village. He proved arm three times in the game. Leyear I his markamanship by killing it instant ly with a single shot. The animal

measured 28 inches from (in to tin While riding on a heavily laden coal wagon Valentine McLaughlin, aged side lines at a high school game and son of Sylvester McLaughlin, living in STREE OF PROGRESS—WEAT HEXT!



paused in awe Along the cliff-side trail

When Hudson spread before his eyes The miracle of sail. Chicago American.

and then. come As in a What new astounding dream sight The white man gasped when Kulton did

Shall dim the wonder of to-day. The miracle of flight? His miracle of steam.

17,000,000 CHILDREN IN SCHOOLS OF UNITED STATES.

Army Attending Clauses Is About One-Fifth of the Total Population of the Country.

An enormous army of children is enraged in the regular winter campaign for education. This peaceful force numbers more than 17,000,000 persons. Those composing it will range in age from 5 to 18 years. It represents the ommon school system of the States.

The hureau of education is a branch of the general government and collects statistics concerning the schools. Com-plete returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1907, have been received from every State except Delaware and Montana. This made it possible to compile the most complete and valuable data ever available.

The figures obtained by the bureau of education show that at the close of the school year in June, 1907, there was a total enrolkment of 16,890,818 children in the common schools of the various States. This included 4,780,-296 in the public schools of the 661 cities having more than 8,000 popula-tion and 716,154 in the 664 cities ranging in population from 4,000 to 8,000 It also included 751.081 students belonging to city and rural high schools onnected with State systems

The population of the United States has materially increased during the past two years, so the total army of school children for the present cam-paign will be largely in excess of 17,-

Census officials estimated the total

it was computed that the number of children ranging in age from 5 to 18 years was 24,262,936. The difference in sex was not striking, the boys num-bering 12,225,149 and the girls 12,037,-787. The estimated number of male persons more than 21 years of age was 23,805,219.

Taking the above figures as a foundation, it was found an enrollment of 16.890.318 of all ages between 5 and 18 was equal to 69.81 per cent of the school population. The per cent of enrollment showed a decrease and in 1900 it was 72.43 per cent. In 1890 it was 68.61 per cent; in 1880 it was 65.50 per cent and in 1870 the percentage was

61.45 The sex difference in enrollment was less than in the matter of school population. It is shown that 8,473,921 boys and 8,416,897 girls were enrolled. This represented 19.75 per cent of the total population.

That abundance of work was found for trunnt officers and persistent parents is found in the fact that the avarage daily attendance at school was 11,925,672, or 70.60 per cent of the entire enrollment.

The average length of the annual school term was a fraction more than 151 days. In 1871 it was 132 days, in 1880 but 130, in 1890 only 134 days, and in 1900 it had increased to 144 The average number of days' davs schooling given every child between and 18 was 74.6.

Fast Mail to Pacific.

An offer to the Post Office Department from the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad has now assured a sixty-hour service for mails betwee Chicago and Puget Sound points. T department was unwilling to give the Census officials estimated the total Hill road an exclusive contract when population of the country in June. It offered such a service, but the mails 1907, to be 85,526,761. On that basis will be divided between the rival lines.

OTHERWISE HE WOULDN'T GO.



SHORT NEWS NOTES.

New York had a spectacular fire earl street was damaged \$200,000.

Sterling Stamp Company's building in Pittsburg, Pa., to the extent of \$50,000. Ga.

The Nicaraguan government has agreed to pay \$600,000 to the George E. Emery Company of Boston because of a previous annulment of the company! timber concession in Nicaragua. Among those who recently received

nedals from the government for life saving are Capt. F. J. Dodge, Harold Dodge, Wilbur L. Dodge and Peter Pe tersen for rescues at Mackinac, Mich.

As the outcome of a quarrel at Mon-As the outcome of a quarrel at Mon-roc, N. C., Ben Tingle was shot and killed by his brother-in-law. Lonnie wife's plan to marry another if she is killed by his brother-in-law, Lonni-Rusbing, on the public road near Win The two men had been drinking

ALVIT. Sam Yong Ping, an aged Malay and

Resolutions pledging the Nationa Naw York had a specthcular fire when the Dunham chocolate plant in ond and third classes to carry out the policy of economy urged by President Taft and Postmaster General Hitch-Fire of unknown origin damaged the cock were adopted at the closing sea sion of the convention at Gainesville

> M. F. Ryan of Kansas City was elected Grand Chief of the Brother-hood of Railway Carmen of America Frank Paquin of Chiat Atlants, Ga. cago was elected First Vice President.

In an answer filed at St. Louis to

his wife's plea for divorce Charles Van Studdiford, husband of Grace Van

Studditord, the actress.

denies

Win- freed. The three hundredth anniversary the discovery of Delaware River

And your first, an agen same and the discovery of Delaware River and one of the wealthiest fishermen on the law by Heary Hudson, and the anti-Louisiana coast, hanged himself by his recent at the house on Paraman at the near his house of the first white settlement in Delaware in 1831 by a Dutch colony headed by David Pietersy Delaware small by the recent storm.

THEELOM IN SERVICE.

By Henry F. Cope "By love serve one another."-- Gal

One of the wisest of the ancient Greeks declared that the free man was he who existed for himself and not like a slave, for the make of another How sharply this contrasts with the essential teaching of the world's great est religious leader, and they who find the full and free life must learn to live, not for themselves, but for oth-

We have been for centuries burying the simple teachings of the prophet of Nazareth under survivals of ancient superstitions and masses of philosophical subtlety and speculation. Now when his real message is spoken it sounds so strange we call it a new religion. The doctrine that the greatest need of the universe is, that men should love one another and live for one another, has been neglected so long that it appears to be wholly new

Your historians point to this and your philosophers to that as the essential article of Christian faith, but it is neither in historical records nor in theological formulas. The one thing that marks and makes the true man in religion is that he has learned that life is just the chance to love and to give life away. His faith is right who is right with his fellows.

The most important hour in any life is that in which it becomes conscious of the fact of other lives pressing on it, constituting society about it, and making imperative demands upon it. The hour of real conversion is when one turns from living inward to liv-ing outward, from selfishness to social living, when the life begins to take the law of love as its guiding star.

Some lives never go through that change; they mantain to death the selfishness with which they were born, which is perfectly normal in the child, the selfishness of the life unconscious of the duties it owes to all other lives. They may pass through emotional religious ecstasies, but their souls, their best selves, remain bound in the bond

Every man begins a new life when he becomes conscious of the fact of social living, when he is touched with a feeling of the unity of all living, when some measure of a passion of humani-ty begins to move him. Life takes on new significances. In that hour the poet's vision and the youth's ambition glow and burn within.

To live for others is to widen the bounds of life. Our sympathies make the measure of our souls. No man is any bigger than his heart. You are great, not according to the number of servants you have, but according to the number whom you freely serve in love.

Your hold on life depends on your self-investment in it. Your roots in so ciety, in the universe, strike deep as you are investing yourself in it. many lives have no root because they are afraid to strike down out of sight to lose themselves. Sinking nothing in sacrifice, they soon dry up and are blown away.

Our modern problems of individual and social suffering, wrong and injustice, are marks of an age that has not learned to live by this law of self-giv ing. We still believe, whatever creeds our lips may utter, that every man must look out for himself; we reject the law that reigns universal through all the rest of nature that only in sacrifice and service is fullness and perpetuity of life found.

This is the faith most of all needed by our faith, faith so fully to believe in the law of love, of service, of sacri-fice, that we will seek first of all the good of others, bear one another's bur-dens, live to make lives sweeter, hapto find the sweet joy of kindness and count it more than any other gain.

This is the law of all life. All no ture is ever giving, losing, sacrificing The world's ideal life is symbolized by a cross of self-sacrifice, love's consum mation. What higher, wider, deeper faith do we need than this, just to go our simple ways, in home, on street in store and shop, in family and human fellowship, taking life as the chance to find fullness of living so as to have the more life, the richer and more efficient life, with which to serve one another, giving life in the con mon things of living, in the kindly word, the sympathetic act, the courte ous deed, the Christly spirit?

BUDSON AND FULTON.

By Boy. A. W. Snyder. Herein is that saying true, One sow eth and another reapeth; other man labored and ye are entered into their labors, St. John 4:37, 38,

In thinking of Hudson and Fulton and of what they did for us we may well say "herein is that saying true, one soweth and another reapeth: other men labored and ye are entered into their labors."

However different their work, Hudon and Fulton had one characteristic in common, without which they could not have done what they did for us. It was the gift of insight. There is a wonderful difference between looking and seeing. Long before Hudson sailed the sea

n his little Half Moon other white men had looked at our great North river, but in looking at it Hudson saw it. That is, he saw its significance and so he explored it and told men all about it. Long before Columhus discovered America some of the old vikings may have landed on the New England coast, but they never intelligently saw the new world that Columbus discovered.

As in the case of Hudson, so also In the work of Fulton we see the great difference between looking and seeing. Before Fulton beens the pa- rival yours, madem."

tient experiments that ended to make ing him the "Father of Steambouting" many men knew that a boat could be propelled by steam power, but when Fulton maw it he knew what it meant. lie saw that it would revolutionise the methods of navigation and vastly enrich the world. When he was building the Clermont men called it "Fulton's Folly." But when it went hravely up the Hudson men began to see what

Fulton had long seen.
It was, then, by a happy suggestion that these anniversary observances should associate the work that Hudson and Fulton did for men in their day, and in so doing contributed so much to the making of this great city and this simpline State. Let us gladly acknowledge our debt of gratitude to these great men. Through them the Lord brought blessing to us and to all human kind.

Let us then praise famous men, for the Lord hath wrought great glory by them through His power.

HYMNS AND THEIR AUTHORS

JUST AS I AM. By Charlotte Elliott.

ICharlotte Elliott (Brighton, England, March 18, 1789—Brighton, Sept. 22, 1871), Indiged by the quality of her work and by its general popularity, is the greatest of British fermie hymn writers, having to her credit. In all, 150 hymns, the greater number of which are recognized as standard. Yet she was all her life almost an invalid, spending her days in quiet liferary work in the south of England and on the continent. In 1534 site issued "The Invalid's Hymn Book," having written 115 of the pieces therein. "Just as I Am," written in 1822; is a record of her personal experience when, shortly before this, the simple suggestion, "Come just as you are," solved many of her religious difficulties. It first appeared in the Yearsy Remembrancer in the year in which she became its editor, 1836, Without question this is the greatest of all the special evangelistic hymns. The stories told of its power over the mind and heart are innumerable. It is sung in all lands and especialty at all times of revival.]

Just as I am, without one ple But that thy blood was shed for me, And that thou bidd'st me come to

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am and waiting not To rid my soul of one dark blot, To thee, whose blood can cleanse each

O Lamb of God. I come!

Just as I am, though tossed about With many a conflict, many a doubt, Fightings within, and fears without, O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am, poor, wretched, blind; Sight, riches, healing of the mind, Yea, all I need, in thee I find. O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am thou wilt receive, Wilt welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve; Because thy promise I believe, O Lamb of God, I come! I come!

Just as I am—thy love unknown Hath broken every barrier down; Now, to be thine, yea, thine alone, O Lamb of God. I come! I come!

SERMONETTES.

The love that is not lived soon dies The great chances never come by chance.

Most of our cares are cured by care for others. Great characters shine out through

small crevices. Life is never healthier for taking re-

ligion as a pill. He cannot be a saint who makes

the world sour. People who give sunshine never have to beg sympathy.

Seeing the purpose of pain robe i of its power to hurt.

Only a dead faith can be separated from living mortals.

Life would leave us all fools but for the lessons of affiction.

Pessimism is usually another name for habitual introspection. No man is fit for another world who

is not efficient in this one. A man never improves his character

by posing for a reputation. Man rises above the beast as he sur-

mounts the instinct of selfishness. They who have time to burn never light the world on the right road.

There is a world of difference be tween self-reverence and self-adora tion. There is siways a tendency to mis-

take the appendix of religion for its heart. When the small man reaches the limits of his brain he thinks he has

come to the coasts of the infinite DON'TS FOR CHURCHMEN

Don't fail to live the truth if you vould be faithful to it.

Don't persuade other people beyond your own convictions. If the average man doesn't get all that's coming to him he is lucky.

never know what it will hatch out. The girl with sparkling eyes is apt to possess a lot of blooming cheek.

People who set a good example

Don't make the mistake of burying your talent lest your future time be occupied in sowing vices.

Hindering Urbanity

The Japanese have ever the instinct of politeness. It may happen, how ever, as in the case recorded below that their idea of a compliment is not precisely that of the one to whom they wish to show courtesy. The story was told by Inspector General Hornaday of the G. A. R. to a Washington Star reporter.

"I remember a little Japanese who attended one of our banquets," he said, "and a queer compliment that he paid to a colonel's wife

"I sat between the two, and the lady

'Mr Takashiru you compress the ladies' feet in your country, don't you? "'Oh, no, medam; that is a Chi-ness custom, said Takashiru. 'We Japanese allow our ladies' feet to grow

to their full size. Not that-"And he bowed and bissed in the polite Japanese way:

"Not that they could ever kope to



Penry and Cook.
It begins to look as if Penry's bark was worse than his hite.-Reitimore

When Peary says dash it is only an uphemism. - Cincinnati Commercial-

The Eskimos are learning a lesson in the ways of civilization.—Milwaukes Free Press.

According to Dr. Cook, north pole rips ulso make strange bedfellows.chicago News. Anyhow. Peary and Cook had Colo-

nel Roosevelt stymle for a Washington Post. Arctic exploration has become a hapby combination of bouquets and brick-

bats.--Washington Post. The first thing Peary does when he

reaches home is to hire a lawyer.— Memphis Commercial Appeal.

If it depends on circumstantial evi-dence neither Cook nor Peary can show cold feet.—Boston Transcript. Well, the polar controversy has at east passed the he-took-my-dogs-andhe-stole-my-gumdrops stage.-- Detroit

The pity in that Commander Pears could not discover the pole, without re-vealing so much of himself.—New York World.

Reaching the pole through the medium of a newspaper yarn is also a te-dious and painful process.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

If Peary gets magazine rates for all the "statements" he is preparing he can well afford to let Cook run away

with the gate receipts.—Atlanta Con-"When Dr. Cook sighted land," says a contemporary, "his heart bulged with emotions." And when Peary sighted land his vocabulary bulged with invec-

tive.—Louisville Courier-Journal. Marriage and Diverce

When the son of a rich family pro-poses to an actress she does well to remember that the "come-home-andbe-forgiven" incident does not occur in real life as often as it does on the stage.-Washington Star.

No doubt the young woman who is suing a wealthy Socialist for breach of promise, with \$100,000 damages, wants him to live up to his creed by dividing his wealth with his less fortunate brothers and sisters.—Cleveland Plainnews that Miss Stewart is to

wed a foreign prince again impels us to ask what has become of that domestic prince, the young American man? As a rival to foreign notabilities be seems still to require a considerable handlcap.—Brooklyn Eagle. Joseph Frischmann, a St. Louis shoemaker, having been rejected by a wid-ow after six months of courtship, sued the lady for \$138.10 for his attentions,

which he itemized in a bill. The indy came back with a claim for \$150 for her services in entertaining him, and the judge decided that neither claim was good. Time is not always money. -New Orleans Times-Democrat.

The Troubles of Spain.

Algeciras doesn't seem to have been the last word with the Moors.-Louisville Times. King Alfonso has already returned

to the more serious business of being a good fellow.—Cleveland Plain Dealer. The more the Moors fight French and Spanish troops the better it suits the plans of Germany in Morocco.— Cleveland Leader. Spain has sent General Weylor to

pacify Morocco. When Weyler goes to war it means a boom in the barb-wire usiness.—Toledo Blade. Barcelona bankers who announce that they are open for deposits only seem to have reached a very simple.

solution for some of the most difficult problems of finance.—Washington Star. Spain has established a censorship to prevent the Spanish papers from printing news of the war in Morocco, on the theory that what the people don't know won't excite them. That procedure wouldn't work well over

here.-Boston Globe.

Aviation. In the feat of the flying Frenchman, England sees the grim shadow of "The Flying Dutchman."—Atlanta Constitu-

The air ship will prove a world econ-

omy if the predictions of its putting an end to battle ships are fulfilled. Washington Star. Nations will have to be careful to draw the distinction between flying and

fleeing, when soldiers take to the air.— Cleveland Leader. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., is to make a balloon flight. Perhaps he will meet many who ascend to high altitudes every time his father's name is mentioned.—Washington Times.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES. Six persons were injured, one fatally, when an automobile overturned at Milford. Neb.

Tennessee's only legal saloon, "Casis," situated on a mountain top near McMinville, was burned. An unknown man knelt in front of

a Lake Shore passenger train in the yards at Toledo, and was killed. The International Pressmen's Union has purchased the Hale Springs property, sixty miles east of Knozville, Penn. including a hotel and 1,100 acres

with four mineral springs, and will es-tablish there a national home for aged and disabled members. Charges that three railroad compa-nies operating in West Virginia have combined in excessive and discriminating freight rates upon mit constituted the basis of a hearing before Special Examiner Carmack of the inerstate commerce commission at Par-

kersburs Obeying the order of its president, Samuel Gompers, the American Federation of Labor counted the Trades and Labor Council of Cuyanoga County, located at Cleveland, Ohio, following the Ohio Council's failure to drop two electrical local unions from its mamwrehip.

The eight-year street car war he-The sight-year street ear war be-tween Mayor Thomas L. Jeksson of Cleveland and the Cleveland Mentric Railway Company nested as ead the other day, when the company accepted the city's agreement to let Paderal Judge R. W. Tayler fix the water of the traction operator's assets. tractice consuctry's assets and

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An Expert Paper Hanger Merrilegs Can't Be Beat at the Job

"I(a! ha! ba!" suddenly cried hir.

He cut a deep gash in the wall paper that adorned the hall of his apart-ment and as he laughed he tore off a large triangular piece of wall paper (it reminded one of a certain type o man eating a piece of pie) and looked exceedingly jocular.
"What are you laughing at?" asked

Mrs. Merrilegs. "I am laughing," said Mr. Merrilegs, "because I feel so good. The pattern of this paper has distressed me for so long that I laugh at the prospect of

"You picked it out," mused Mrs.

Merrilegs, "just the same."
"I laugh as well," said Mr. Merrilegs, with a don't-interrupt-me wave of the hand, "at the landlord who refused to repaper the hall, and I laugh at the paper hanger who wanted \$18 for a job which I am doing for less than \$6. Is the paste ready?"
"All ready," said Mrs. Merrilegs.

"Be careful, Charles, of that knife."
"Don't you worry about that knife," said Mr. Merrilegs, slashing away at the paper in a professional manner.
"I know what I'm doing."

"I don't know what would happen to me," said Mrs. Merrilegs, "if you were to stab yourself, Charles."

"Now, I'm not going to stab myself," said Mr. Merrilegs. "So don't you get

And so saying, Mr. Merrilegs stabbed himself briskly in the palm of his hand and immediately an uproar arose in the Merrilegs apart-

"Perhaps," said Mrs. Merrilegs when the excitement had abated to a point where Mr. Merrilegs suffered his hand to be bound—"perhaps it would be better, after all, Charles, if we let the paper hanger finish it now."

The wounded man arose from his chair in a way that would have been an inspiration to any designer of fack-in-the-boxes.

"What!" he shouted.

"Sh!" said Mrs. Merrilegs.
"I won't 'Sh!'" shouted Mr. Merrilegs; "I won't 'Sh!' Here I've gone got the wall paper and the brush and mixed the paste and everything and bought a paper hanger's knife (drat that paper hanger's knife), and first you make me cut myself and you just as good as say that I don't know how to paper the hall, anyhow, and that I'd better quit and turn it over to someone who does—or can!" He stopped because he was quite Tears of self-pity al-

most stood in his eyes.
"And that," said he, with a frightful motion of despair to the cuckoo clock, which pointed at half past -"and that is all the thanks I

'Cuckoo!" said the clock.

"Now, Charley," said Mrs. Merri-legs, "you know I didn't mean it that way at all."

Mr. Merrilegs held his injured hand at a prominent angle, as one who would say, "See how I suffer for my country!" and he looked like a man who might forgive (if he were sufficiently coaxed) but who would not for-

"And if you think you can finish it," continues Mrs. Merrilegs, "why go ahead and finish it—and welcome." "Oh, I'll finish it," said Mr. Merri-

legs. "Don't let that part of it worry you for a moment. I'll finish it all

"I would," said she.
"I will," said he.

the hall and slashed away in a grim, grim manner that boded equally ill for wives and wall paper in halls. "If—" began Mrs. Merrilegs, follow-

ing him.

"If you will kindly do me the favor to go away out of this hall," said Mr. Merrilegs in that tone of extreme courtesy which a husband never uses except when he is on the point of ere-ating a disturbance, "I will go ahead with the papering. Otherwise not."
"If you will let me help you,
Charles—" began Mrs. Merrilegs.

"You wouldn't help me," said Mr. Merrilegs bitterly. "You would hin-

der me." "At lenst—"

"Will you go out?"

"Will you go out? I say!"

"Listen-"WILL YOU GO OUT?"

And seeing, at last, that he was made of the same sort of stuff as Tell and Washington and Bruce and Nelson and all those other great and in-domitable souls who knew so well how to persevere to the end, Mrs. Merrilegs, perhaps, felt a thrill of pride in her liege I, and m. At any rate she ceased and retired from the scene.

And so, ha-ha-ing, Mr Merrilegs arose, stepped cleverly in a little pool of paste, fell, tried to save himself turned, and rolled himself in the length of alleky wall paper on the floor much as the future butterfly rolls Steelf in its cocoon, though with a great deal more spontaneity and in comparably more noise.

"Well," he bitterly cried again, when Mrs. Merrilegs had come once to his rescue and had made him look less like a mummy and more like a man, "why don't you say some

"Charles." said Mrs. Merrilegs. looking in the telephone book for the paper hanger's number, "I will tell you. There are so many things I might, say, all equally true and all equally good, that I find it impossible to make a selection."

HOW SHE MANAGED

"Well, my dear," said young Mrs. Weaver, as she poured out her husband's cup of black coffee, "you really cannot reulizo how surprised I was this morning when I found Annabel

"Who's Annabel?" asked Weaver. "Ob, yes, the maid in the flat down-stairs."

"Of course. She asked me if I would be willing to take her with us to our new house. She's been dissatsfied with Mrs. Barber a long time and she wants to make the change who lives in one of the suburbs near where we're going. Now, what do you think? Shall I take her? Of ourse, she's a splendid maid—so kind to the children and so systematic in every way in the housework. But if I take her Mrs. Barber will say—"

"Why go into what she will say?" asked Weaver. "If you want the girl, here's your chance. You'll need another girl besides Hilds when we get into the house."

Weaver took out his afterdinner cigar with an air of having closed the

subject for all time.
"But listen, dear," said Mrs. Weaver, anxiously. "I know Mrs. Barber will say dreadful things of me. Yet how she can blame me I cannot see. I told her just the other day what I've always said ever since Mrs. Wear ook our Martha from us, that rather than stoop to that sort of thievingand it is really that—I would willing-ly do my own work until I could find ome one in a proper way. But she won't remember that. I don't dare to take Annahel-"

"May I ask why not?" broke in her husband. "The girl is dissatisfiedis leaving Mrs. Barber of her own accord, according to her story. You've wanted just this chance. Does Mrs. Barber hire our servants for us?"
"Annabel is dissatisfied—and she

said they would not give her the money she wants. She's asked for more pay and they began to criticise her work right away. And she said if I would give her what I said I

"Ah!" broke in Weaver. "So you have talked to Annabel before this?" "Oh, but nothing about her leaving Mrs. Barber, really." Then Mrs. Weaver hurrled on breathlessly. "I just saw Annabel in the basement the other morning. I had run down there to get Hilds to go for some luncheon-things that had been delayed. Anna-bel and I talked only till Hilds came sister, you know, or some one who night like to come to us. I told her ve were moving to a new house and that we should need another maid. But I made it very plain that I wasn't asking for her—that I wouldn't try to take any one's servant. She asked me what I would pay and of course I told ier. And that was absolutely every-

thing we said. "But she told me some things. Do you know. Mrs. Barber puts in four full-sized sheets in the wash every week? I told her that we always put the top sheet at the bottom and saved a sheet on each bed that way. And then she spoke of those Sunday night dinners of Mrs. Barber's. And of Mrs. Barber's many little affairs-she's always entertaining, you know. I told her that we loved entertaining, but that we managed a little differently. For I always wait until I owe every one and then give one big affair and have it over. We all have a much better time that way. I think, and it spares the maid. I told her the only small affairs I give are Sunday evening suppers for the few 'near and dear' friends. And that I always get them myself, and never keep Hilda Sunday afternoons or evenings. We

talked naturally, and only because I had to wait for Hilda." "Do you know how much Mrs. Barber pays?" asked her husband, with

a growing smile.
"Why, yes; Mrs. Barber told me the other day. And Mrs. Barber said that Annabel saved her dollars every week on the grocery bill by her careful management. That's why we can afford to pay her what I offered her. So I told Annabel that we were moving Monday and for her to do what she thought best about coming then or afterward. I told her that I felt the should give Mrs. Barber two weeks' notice, as I wouldn't have her angry for worlds—"
"So she's hired?" Weaver's grow-

ing smile broke into a laugh. "It will be interesting to learn what Mrs. Bar-ber will say. Thank goodness, we're even on Martha now—and also that we are leaving this neighborhood. The conscience of woman is a weird study, my dear!"

Leading Man of the Town.

When Commissioner McAdoo was a member of congress, he visited the Virginia town where he had found his wife. He told of having his shoes shined by an old negro, where a distinguished-looking old gentleman encouple of minutes, and then strode

Who was that handsome gentleman?" inquired McAdoo, of the boot

"Dat's Kyunnel Fai'fax. Sah," an-

swered the shiner. "Must be a big man here; isn' he?"
"Yassah, yassah," said the man
olemniy. "Kyunnel Faifax am de solemniy. ambiguous gen'ieman in town,

DICKENS' LANDMARK GOING

Old Baracen's Head Hotel in London Forced to Close by New

Another link with Dickens will soon be lost to London by the closing of the old Saracen's Head hotel in Snow Hill. The old place has been compelled to close by the pressure of the new budget taxes, for although it had a good trade with the men employed in the neighboring meat market at Smithfield it could not bear up

The Saracen's Head was an import Dickens immor talized it in "Nicholas Nickleby" when he made Mr. Wackford Squeers of Dothebdys Hall in Yorkshire stop there when he came to London to interview the young gentlemen who were to be "accurately educated" at his academy. Parts of the building are about 400 years old, and there are records showing that it has been used as a hotel for at least that period. Of course, it has been re-built a number of times, and the structure now looks quite modern.

In the mail coach days it was one

The guests at the hotel used to collect on the balconies which surrounded the old yard to watch the coaches arrive and depart. This yard has long since disappeared, its site being covered with business buildings. It ing will either be torn down or con-

If Charles Dickens knew of it, it is probable that he would turn over in his grave. As it is, there is sorrow mingled with incredulity in the ranks adult in these islands who can read Papers." yet the Dickens Fellowship has discovered a man of some education who never has heard of Sam Weller. And what do you suppose this worthy's name is? It is "Pickwick!" How on earth has he man aged to avoid reading the biography or his great namesake is not re-vealed, but after this literary critics will have to be charler than ever of accusing novelists of overstraining the long arm of coincidents.

OREGON HAS KINDEST MAN

Panjab River Hermit Refuses to Kill Wild Animals That Destroy His Crops.

If you lived in the woods where ful creature to prevent the discovery bear, deer and cougars actually inter-fered with your farming operations of his deception after his death. and devoured your crops, would you have any hesitation about killing the offending varmints? Frank Lotcon, a German hermit living alone on the Panjab river in the Blue mountains, in Oregon, thinks it wrong to kill wild animals and they bully him unmercifully.

Although for years he has lived in a district where all sorts of wild ani-mals are numerous, he has never killed one yet. "They frequently cause me much trouble," he says, "but it is

wrong to kill them." Recently he awoke in the morning to see two large cougars glaring at hif through the windows of his cabin. The mountaineer could easily have killed both of them, but he said he had no objection to have them inspect the interior of his house. After watch ing him for several minutes, the wildcats slunk away into the timber.

A field of corn planted and cultivatground. Mr. Lotcon could easily have lately been much trodden down by the killed the deer the morning after the public.

"The martial despot immediately created havoc with the irrigation deer squeezed mud into the outlet the sentinel should be flogged.

pipe, stopping it up, and the crops "Soon afterward the admiral's wife, suffered before the cause of the trouble was discovered.

Taking all these things account, Oregon may claim to have halt. the kindest man.

Obliterating Waterloo.

The battlefield at Waterloo, writes an American tourist from Brussels, is rapidly being divested of all its inter-esting features. The houses which sheltered men who helped to make history there are being torn down, the roads and paths are being obliter ated, and soon there will be nothing left to remind one of Napoleon's last stand but the great mound capped by the Waterloo lion. The museum, where all the battlefield trophtes are on view, uniforms, arms, drawings and pictures, was never a pretentious institution, but no visitor failed to look with interest at the many ex-hibits behind the glass doors. This also is to be dismantled, and the articles which have been carefully kept around me an' des hep yo'set." for years will be distributed among the provincial museums of Belgium. where as individual exhibits they will

His Favorite Song.

couple of sisters up on Corona street that they could make no effective re-when he was asked to sing.

the opticism sat down and sang "The maining territory was divided among Night Hath a Thousand Eyes."

MOST RENOWNED OF SNAKES

Versatile Moneter, Which Was Known .ax the God Assculation, According to Lucian.

No snake that ever lived won areat

er fame for the time than Alexander's Lucian tells the story, George Harvey says in the North American Review Apollonius, a master of the maxic arts, had many disciples, among whom was a practicing physician who lived in Abonotichus, a small town on the shore of the Black sea. There Alexander was born of humble parentage and imbibed from the old doctor all that he had learned from Avollonius of medicine and magic. he fell in with one Cocconas, a shrewd tipster for the races and somewhat of a juggler. The two rogues joined forces and meandered about telling fortunes. Arriving at Pella, they found a great number of huge, harm-less suakes, which lived in the houses, played and slept with the children and lestroyed poisonous rats. Alexander promptly purchased one of the largest, a veritable monster, so tame that it would coil about his body and remain of the recognized stopping places. made a human face for it out of linen, Lord Nelson when he left home as a painted it ingeniously, and shaped it boy to foin the navy passed a night so that the mouth would open and shut by an arrangement of horsehalt letting the forked tongue shoot in and out at the will of the master. Hav-ing no further use for Coconnas, he either administered poison to him or let him die from some infection and returned with his snoke to his notive town. There he declared himself prophet and announced that the god Aesculapius was about to appear. The

pcople were credulous, excitable and eager for a new divinity.
When the great day arrived Alexan der protended to discover in a puddle of water a goose egg which he had placed there after removing the con-tents, substituting a small embryo snake just born and carefully scaling the shell with wax. When the multitude had gathered he broke the shell and produced the tiny creature, which in a few moments grew to be the monster from Pella by the simple process of substitution. Thereafter the big snake, believed to be Aescula plus, led a busy life. He gave seances, told fortunes in writing, and even spoke freely with the aid of the prophet's ventriloquial powers. Alexander grew rich and powerful, kept a small army of retainers and spies, wielded no little influence over the government even at Rome and died at a ripe old age in the fuliness of his renown. What became of the snake nobody knows. Probably last the prophet dispatched the faith-

NOT THE GENERAL'S COW

Amusing Complication That Followed Soldier's Strict Obedience of Orders Given Him.

The first and the last duty of a comnon soldier is to obey orders. Nor is he allowed to put upon his orders a construction that might suit cases not anticipated. This, however, sometimes leads to amusing results, as in an QUINN, WIXSON & QUINN, Instance told by L. A. Tollemandle Attorneys for Mortgagee. instance told by L. A. Tollemandle in his recent book, "Old and Odd Memories."

"The scene of one of my father's anecdotes was laid in a southern seaport town, where long ago a general and an admiral were neighbors. The general's house was fronted by a grass-plot, on which he claimed the right to pasture a cow.

"One day his wife complained that ed by Lotcon with great care, was destroyed by a herd of deer. Several The sentinel accounted for the defi-

not molest them. A big deer recently gave orders that no animal, human or other, except the cow, should be alscheme Mr. Loteon has carried out on lowed on the grass-plot; and he added his farm. Wallowing in the spring from which the water is drawn, the days—that if this rule were infringed

> having a pressing engagement, took a short cut over the grass in disregard of the sentinel's repeated order to "'Sir.'" said the offended lady,

> "don't you know who I am?" "'All I know is that you're not the general's cow." -- Youth's Companion.

> Dear Old Mother Eve. A chocolate darky and his "yaller" girl were walking along together. "Ise skeered mos' to def, Rastus."

"What am yo' skeered ob, woman?" "I'se skeered yo'se gwine to kies "How kin I kiss yo' when I'se got a

udder?" "Oh, well, yo' fool, I wuz thinkin' yo' could set de bucket ob watah on de groun', put de turkey down an'

bucket on me haid, a wash pot in one han' an' a turkey gobbler in de

Partition of Poland The partition of Poland is generally

Everybody's.

have originated with Frederick the Great of Prussia, and There is a young optician in Den he and Catherine of Russia and Maria yer, Col., who sings very well. The Therean of Austro-Hungary entered other night he was making a call on a linto it. The Poles were so weakened "What shall it be?" he asked as he selzed certain provinces in 1772. In 1792 another partition was made by Your favorite song," said one of Russia and Frussia only, and in 1795 e giris.

Poland was destroyed sitogether as
"All right," he replied. And then an independent nation, and its re-

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of a writ of fieri faciaa, issued out of the Circuit Court for the Compty of Saginaw, State of Michigan, in favor of Peter Schweitzer, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Sevmont. I vites and Issues Smith goods and chattels and real estate of Seymour J. Yates and James Smith, in the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 23rd day of June A. D. 1995, levy upon and take all the right, tittle and interest of the said Seymour J. Yates, in and to the following described lands, to-wit:

S. E. 3 of the N. W. 3 Section 35, Town 28 North Range 4 West, all of which said real estate is located in the County of Crawford, and State of Michigan.

Michigan.
All of which I shall expose for sale All of which I shall expose for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidper, at the front door of the Court House, of the County of Crawford, State of Michigan, in the Village of Grayling in said County of Crawford and State of Michigan, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within said County of Crawford: on the 30th day of September A. 1) 1909. he 30th day of September A. D. 1909. at 9 o'clock in the forenoon.

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Dated, Crawford County, Michigan,
this 25th day of August, A, D. 1909,
CHARLES W. AMIDON,
Sheriff of Grawford County, Mich.
HUGO P. GEISLER, Attorney,
301-2 Giesler Block, Saginaw, Mich.
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Mortgage Foreclosure Sale.

Notice is hereby given that a mort-gage dated the 17th day of Decem-ber, 1906 was executed by William A. Montgomery and Eleanora F. Mont-gomery to The Ancient Order of Gleaners, a Michigan corporation and recorded in the Register of Deed's of-fice in Crawford county, and state of Michigan, in Liber G of Mortgages, on pages 490-491 on the 17th day of December 1906. That default has been made in the conditions of said mortgage and in payment of interest due thereon, whereby the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due, and is hereby declared to be due, due, and is hereby declared to be due, according to the terms of said mortage, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of one thousand six hundred and sixty-one dollars and thirty-three cents. That under the power of sale in said Mortgage contained, said Mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the Mortgaged premises, at public yendue to the highest bidder on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of September, 1909, at highest bidder on Monday, the twenty-seventh day of September, 1999, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Grayling in said Crawford county, and that said premises are described in said Mortgage substantially as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situate and being in the township of Beaver Creek, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, deacribed as follows, to with The west half of the southwest quarter of section fourteen, the northeast quarter of section twenty-two except sixty acres off the norththe northeast quarter of the north-west quarter and the southeast quar-ter of the southeast quarter of section fifteen, all in township twenty-five North, of Range four West, and will be sold as aforesaid, to satisfy the amount due on said Mortgage with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the cost of fore-

closure.
Dated July 1st, 1909. The Ancient Order of Gleaners, A. Michigan Corporation, Mortgagee. Business Address, Caro Mich.

NOTICE.

To the owner or owners of any and all interest in the land herein describ ed, and to the mortgagee or mort-gagees named in all undischarged re-corded mortgages against said land corded mortgages against said land or any assignee thereof of record: Take Notice That sale has been law-

fully made of the following described that the undersigned has title thereto inder tax deed issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconvey-ance thereof at any time within six ance thereof at any time within six months after return of service of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned or to the Register in Chancery of the county in which the lands lie, of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent, additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dol laus, and the further aum of 10.2 dollars for each description, without other additional cost or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.

State of Michigan, County of Crawford

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Office of
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Grayling, Mich., July 20, 1969.
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